OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY OF DIXON BY ACT OF CITY COUNCIL

WANT ONE HUNDRED **MEMBERS IN COUNTRY** CLUB IN SHORT TIME

SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP COMMIT-CAMPAIGN SOON.

ORGANIZATION IS PERFECTED

Club Plans to Lease Harding Property Opposite State Epileptic Colony.

At the mass meeting held Tuesday night by those interested in the promotion of a country club for Dixon, it was voted to lease the site for the STATE BANK OF ROCKFORD of directors was elected.

The land that will be leased is owned by Clarence B. Harding and his mother, Ellen E. Harding. It com- N. L. FORDHAM IS INTERESTED prises 80 acres of land and lies directly opposite the administration building at the state colony, about one books for the stock of the State mile north of Dixon on North Craw-Bank of Rockford will be opened ford avenue. The street car line stops next week, since the receipt yesterdirectly in front of the land and the day of a letter from H. L. Fordham brick pavement will reach that point of the Dixon Realty company, which

ed by the mass meeting. The per-lopening of the books.

W. C. Durkes, Henry S. Dixon, E. ected W. C. Durkes as president, Geo. E. Boynton as vice president, and Charles Leake as secretary-treasurer.

Judge John B. Crabtree was elected chairman of the meeting and he and what was to be done. Chairman Crabtree called upon the previously appointed committee on sites for its report and Atty. H. S. Dixon, reporting for this committee, explained the necessary to give up the idea of securing the old academy building, etc.

President Durkes took up the most important question that at present is before the organization and appointed a special committee on member-tion o fthe city. many more than that are acceptable. spoken for. The special membership soliciting committee is composed of: Louis Pitcher, chairman; Dr. Z. W. Moss, O. STOLEN HAMILTON H. Martin, Oliver Rogers and E. T. Bailey. This committee has the power to draft further members and the plan is to institute a whirlwind campaign for members during the next few days. Upon the work of this committee rests the future of Dixon's

an application to sign. Fixed the Dues.

are to be \$20 the first year.

MAIL CLERK HURT AT ASHTONI

Clerk On Sterling Passenger Fell To Platform With Mail Sack

Mail Clerk Horne of the Sterling passenger was painfully injured at Ashton Monday when he fell from the car while throwing -a sack of mail to the platform. There was a coating of ice on the iron plate in the car door and when Horne step ped on to it to throw the sack he slipped and fell with the pouch to brought \$25 and the other \$81. He ankle. It was necessary to summon a clerk from the Ashton post office to complete the run to Chicago.

SINGER'S SON DEAD.

(Associated Press)

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 5-Hans, son of the famous contralto. Madame Schumann-Heink, is dead here of pneumonia.

MAYOR IS BETTER.

better today.

Mis Brandt of Polo were shopping with Mr. Kegwein and as a result the of Waukeeney, Kas. Miss Bertie m. Interment will be made in Palmyin town yesterday.

Coroner's Inquisition Into Death of John Ness Held Tuesday.

The coroner's jury which Tuesday fternoon held an inquest into the death of John Ness, returned a verdict that he was killed in a fall from TEE WILL START WHIRLWIND a windmill at the Nels Arne farm near Steawrd. The deceased's parents reside in Norway, while he has a sister in South Dakota. The sister will arrive in Steward for the funeral on Thursday afternoon.

NEW BANK STOCK IS OFFERED TO PUBLIC

PUTS STOCK ON MARKET \$125 PER SHARE

Rockford , Jan. 6-Subscription stated that legal authority has been A board of five directors was elect-granted by the state auditor for the

Stock will therefore next week and little difficulty is looked for in the sale of it in view of the fact that applications of would be investors have been on file manufacturers. The stock will be of fered at \$125, \$25, to go toward a explained the nature of the gathering sinking fund upon which the organiz ation can draw to meet the expenses of organization and banking house

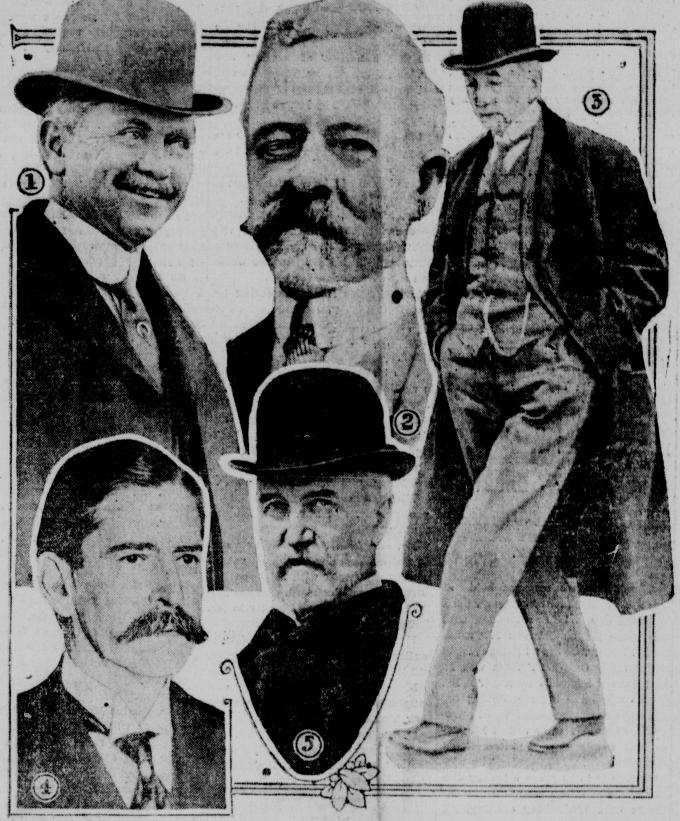
The incorporators of the new bank are H. L. Fordham, John H. Camlin and B. J. Knight. The bank will be located in the proposed new Camlin and Sparks building at the corner of North Main and Mulbery streets, which with the assurance of the bank on the ground floor will be made a splendid addition to this sec ship solicitation. It is held absolutely that the Camlin Insurance agency necessary to get at least 100 members will also occupy a suite in the build if the club is ever to be started, and ing and other office space has been

The rig that was left in a livery barn at Freeport about ten days ago Conutry club. Do not wait, Mr. Pros- by a stranger has turned out to be the pective Candidate, for them to come one stolen from the streets of Walnut to you. Phone one of them and tell on the evening of Dec. 21, belonging DENUNCIATION FOR ROOSEVELT them you would like to join the to Cleve Hardesty, employed on the country club, and they will bring you Bernard Kegwein farm in Hamilton township, Mr. Hardesty and Mr. Kegwein went to Freeport Tuesday even-Another result of the meeting last ing and identified the outfit. The were circulated at the last session of dues. It was decided to make the ini- had gotten in Walkut the night the foreign business firms in urging the township. Saturday he suffered an at- may at turn up. tial membership fee \$25. The dues rig was stolen, were found in the passage of the government ship bill tack of acute indigestion, but had ap-

Mr. Hardesty drove to Walnut two weeks ago Tuesday night and tied the horse on the street and when he returned at about 10 p. m. it was missing. No clue was found as to the direction taken by the thief was found and it was by chance that the rig left at the Freeport livery barn was connected with the outfit stolen from Walnut. A week ago last Thursday a team of horses was stolen from a pas ture on a farm east of them and the party who had taken the horses disposed of them six miles farther east at a public sale. One of the animals the platform, badly injuring one got notes on the amounts and discounted them at a Freeport bank and got a cashier's check. He went into a clothing store, purchased a sealskin cap and overcoat and tendered the check in payment, receiving \$60 in change. After his departure the loss of the horses from the pasture was reported to the sheriff at Freeport and it was while attempting to locate the stranger that the authorities got into communication with the officers charge of fomenting strikes in muniin towns in this part of the state, giving the description of the man and Mayor Henry Schmidt, who has stating that he had left a horse and been confined to his home by an at- buggy there and a description was tack of the grip, was reported some given of them. Chief Tourtillott of

outfit was found.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH SAYS JURY MEMBERS OF FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEES WILL BE CONSULTED IN INTERNATIONAL CRISES



Photos by American Press Association.

veloped that Democratic members of the senate committee on foreign relations are inclined rather strongly to the belief that in the Ancona crisis the president should not break off diplomatic relations with Austria-Hungary without consulting members of that committee and taking the senate and house into his confidence. The statement was made by a responsible senator, whose name could not be used, that assurances would be given that there would be no rupture with Austria-Hungary until after the Democratic leaders of the senate foreign relations committee had been consulted. Senator William J. Stone of Missouri (No. 2 in the pictures) is chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations; Henry D. Floed of Virginia (No. 1) is head of the corresponding house committee. No. 2 is Sen-

MILES BRYAN SUCCUMBED TO

ACUTE INDIGESTION THIS

AFTERNOON.

Mrs. George Sills.

on, survive.

ADMINISTRATION HELD PALMYRA PIONEERS HORSE IS FOUND GUILTLESS OF CHARGES TAKEN BY ANGEL OF

SENATE COMMITTEE SAYS WIL-SON DID NOT ACT FOR FOREIGNERS.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 5-Charges that investigate them.

Both reports also found the ship- away in a short time. ping interests blameless of illegal acsertion that President Wilson and Louis, Orville and Blinn. A more say they are clumsy forgeries, Bryan "have endeavored to interest complete obituary will be published several foreign firms to secure for the later. United States power to purchase interned ships of belligerents."

CUBS SOLD TODAY.

(Associated Press) Cineninati, Jan. 5-The Chicago National League baseball club was sold today to Charles Weeghman by Charles P. Taft.

BUCHANAN SURRENDERED (Associated Press)

New York, Jan. 5-Congressman Buchanan of Illinois surrendered totions plants. He was released on \$5.

IS CRITICALLY ILL

Dixon relatives of Mrs. Lacy Her this city looked up the description rick of Steward, Ill., received word and believing it tallied with that stol- today that she is critically ill at the Mr. and Mrs. John Gilbert and en at Walnut, got in communication home of her son, Dr. Wm. Herrick eam of Steward has gone to aKnsas ra cemetery. to be with her mother.

LOOKING FOR MORE OF CHILDS' FORGERIES

DEATH DURING DAY BELVIDERE AUTHORITIES BE-LIEVE INSURANCE MAN HAD MORE PAPER

Belvidere, Jan. 5-New forger MRS GEORGE SILLS IS DEAD ies by Thomas N. Chiles, district agent of the Peoria Life Insurance evening was the settling of the ques- plush lap robe and half a dozen pairs congress to the effect that the admin- Miles Bryan died rather suddenly this Co., let o the conclusion that other tion of membership fees and annual of husking mitts, and three collars he istration had acted in the interests of afternoon at his home in Palmyra spurious paper uttered by Childs Depnis Foley Passed Away In White

> were held baseless in both the major- parently recovered and ate a rather learning the name of a Marengo citity and minority reports filed today hearty dinner this noon from which izen, former Speaker Shurtleff, the by the senate committee appointed to he suffered another attack and des- two bad notes found today also pite medical attendance he passed have the rames of Marengo business men signed, one bearing the Mr. Bryan for many years has been name of Charles Calvin Higbee, the tivity in opposition to the measure; on the Bethea farm in Palmyra town- mayor, for \$144.32, and the other, but the majority report denounced ship and was well known by a large the name of Jarvis Elisha Heath, former President Roosevelt for fail- circle of friends, and his sudgen death well known Marengo contractor for ing to appear before the committee will come as a great shock to all. He \$204.64. Mayor Higbee and Mr. to testify concerning his published as- is survived by his wife and three sons Heath repudiated the signatures and STATE POULTRY SHOW AT DEKALB

Childs Had Many Notes certain crowd of Belvidere investors held this week in the armory at De-Mrs. George Sills of Palmyra passeu although he was willing to make birds are being exhibited. The work away this morning at about 9 o'clock, a big discount his offer was turned of judging was started yesterday by death resulting from heart failure, down as some of the men entertain W. H. Halbach of Watertown, Wis. after an illness of about two weeks. ed suspicions about the authenticity and Geo. A. Heyl of Washington, this Mrs. Sills was the second white child of several of the notes in his possesand the first white girl born in Pal- sion. Now the question is being askmyra township, and was about 78 ed, how many of these notes were

20, 1837, and died Jan 5, 1916. She veillance since a week ago last Thurs Prof. A. J. Phillips of the Purdue uniwas the daughter of Fred W. and day when he offered the People's versity, made an address today. Phoebe Coe and was oorn in Palmy- bank the phony Shurtleff note. The ra township, living her entire life bank officials promptly communicat where she was so well esteemed. She ed with Mr. Shurtleff and the Maren was married to George B. Sills March go attorney took the first car for Bel videre and Childs was confronted 2, 1863. Beside her husband, three with his criminal act. children, Mrs. A. R. Beede ,Fred C.

When Mr. Shurtleff charged Childs and Frank J. Sills, all of Palmyra. with the forgery in his office over and a brother, Frank M. Coe of Dix 322 South State street the insurance man almost collapsed. He did not Funeral services will be held at the deny the forgery, explaining that he late residence Friday, Jan. 7, at 2 p. was in sore need of funds and that

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QUELL OUTBREAK IN HAYTI TODAY WOULD NOT ISSUE

pelling Attack On Them.

(Associated Press) Fort Au Prince, Hayti, Jan. 5-A

revolutionary outbreak occurred here at 2 o'clock this morning when the force of American marines maintained in this city was attacked. One of the rebels was killed by the Americans, who su:ered no losses.

BRITISH COMPULSORY BILL UP IN HOUSE

COMMONS HEARS OF NECESSITY OF INCREASING ARMY'S ENROLLMENT.

APPLIES TO UNMARRIED MEN

(Associated Press)

The compulsory military service bill was to have been taken up in the British House of Commons today and it promised the sharpest parliamen tary struggle since the war began.

Earl Derby's report in his recruiting campain explains why the cab inet found it necessary to bring forward the measure for the enlistment of unmarried men. More than 2,500, 000, in England, Scotland and Wales enrolled themselves but after those and the medically unfit were winnow ed out only about 1,100,00 remain. It is said that there are 650,000 unmarried men who failed to come for

Introduced By Asquith.

The bill, providing compulsory military service, was introduced in the the United States naval experts will Commons by Premier Asquith, while be called upon to help determine Minister of Munitions Lloyd George announced that 396 additional estab lishments had been enrolled under control of the ministry since Jan. 1st, lin conferred with the German foreign making a total of 2422.

The Commons passed a bill designated to facilitate the output of am munitions. The bill is an amendment to the Munitions act. "Everything de pends on whether we turn out munitions in sufficient quantities to bring the campaign to an end this year,' Lloyd-George said in addressing the commons in his appeal for the passage of the bill.

Talks of Bill.

Premier Asquith said that the compulsory service bill could be supported by those opposed to conscription. It provides that all males between the ages of 18 and 41, who are bachelors or widowers without children deendent upon them, are liable for mili tary service. One ground for exemp tion includes a conscientious objec tion to military service. Ireland is DID COMPANY SOUARE HIM UP? also excluded from the application of

FORMER DIXON MAN IS DEAD

side County Today

Word was received by Dixon rela tives about noon today of the deatl this morning at Hahnemann, Ill., of Dennis Foley, a former resident of this city. His death was sudden as he was sick but a short time. He was an uncle of Mesdames George Burke and John Hetler of this city.

Several days ago Childs offered a The annual poultry show is being notes aggregating nearly \$5,000 and Kalb and according to reports many state. They are assisted by five other judges. It was expected that the judging would be completed today and the Childs has really been under sur ribbons would all be up tomorrow.

BELLIGERENTS' SHIPS SENATOR GORE PRESENTED PRO HIBITION RESOLUTION IN SENATE TODAY

AMERICAN VICTIM? ANOTHER

PASSPORTS GOOD ON

London Embassy Hears That Rev. Homer Salisbury Was On Liner Serbia

(Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 5-Senator Gore, democrat, today introduced a resolution to prohibit the issue of passports to United States citizens for travel on ships of belligerent nations, and to restrict the carrying of passengers from this country on ships carrying munitions of war.

London, Jan. 5.—The American embassy today received a report that Rev. Homer Salisbury, an American, was a pasenger on the Persia, which was sunk in the Mediterranean. He was not listed among the survivors.

Washington, Jan. 5-President Wil son conferred with Secretary Lansing an hour today over the submarine crisis. No additional facts beyond the definite knowledge that only two Americans were aboard the P. & O. engaged in indispensable industries liner Persia had been received over

Naval Experts Here. Whether the status of the Persia

was changed fr motofhtaJPYSHRDL was changed from that of an unarmed liner to one technically armed because she mounted one gun is a point

Gerard Asks Facts.

A dispatch from London says that American Ambassador Gerard at Beroffice today regarding the sinking of the Persia.

Washington, Jan. 5.-Two uncertainies appear to stand in the way of an immediate climax in the situation caused by the latest submarine activity. These uncertainties are:

. First-Whether the 1 ted States government can prove on vidence of fact that the British liner Persia was bunk by a submarine and fix the nationality of the undersca boat.

Second-Whether this government on the basis of international law can contend that the passenger liner armed for defense is entitled to immunity from attack without warning.

Until the American government is certain of its ground on these two points, its final position cannot be de termined either in regard to a demand for redress in the case of the Persia or as to the future policy of the United States on the entire submarine controversy.

May Drift Into Letter Writing.

Every indication points to the likelihood that the case of the Persia will drift into the realm of diplomatic dis eussion. The mere fact that the United States has not yet made up it's mind as to how it will stand on the question of immunity for merchant vessels which are armed with guns seems .o indicate that the subject is debatable and that this government cannot decline to enter into a diplomatic discussion if Austria or any other of the central powers responsible for the attack on the Persia seeks to raise this

State department officials admit that the question is a new one in the submarine controversy. It is added that the rules which the United States adopted at the beginning of the war in which the right of merchantmen to carry a limited number of small guns for defensive purposes was recognized was adopted before the submarine campaign developed and without considering submarine attacks.

Wilson Gives Out Statement Notwithstanding the uncertainties which exist in the minds of Washington officials, President Wilson gave

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DEFEAT SINGLE COMMISSIONER

Brooklyn Township Voters Registered Against Change Tuesday.

of Brooklyn township rejected the proposition of having but one commissioner of highways in that township. The vote in detail was: Precinct 1 (West Brooklyn) Wo-

By a vote of 214 to 117 the voters

men-For, 1; against, 34; men: for, 15; against, 100. Total-For 15; against, 134. Precinct 2 (Compton) -- Women:

For, 22; against 26; men; for, 79; against, 54. Total-for, 101; against

Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1916

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and

Thursday. Much colder.

xtended to all.

M. Phillips

chool house Sunday

Wednesday, Jan. 5. An invitation is

ne Fred Coxwell home Sunday.

and Mrs. Louie Emmitt of Sterling.

Will Janssen of Sterling visited his

panents, Mr. and Mrs. John Janssen.

Belvidere and Rockford. Charles Mc-

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Lebre and daugh-

Marie were Sunday guests of Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Janssen and

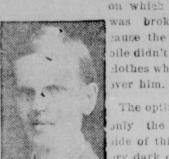
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Smith.

WALTON.

nd Mrs. Frank Lease

at Gary, Ind.

An optimist is a man who would gust No indeed. Something is bound cercirate the anniversary of the day to turn up in the ninth, so he bets anon which his leg other dollar and stays on.



ide of things. Ev ery dark cloud to

he remembers how uncomfortable fat asked if he had any last words. Look-

In fact, betting, gold mining, and dothes when it ran He will bet on a three-legged horse. perpetual motion company and will old onto it even after some other ucker has offered to cart it away for

Thus optimism is profitable, but preme degree. not always to the optimist. However, ife is always very beautiful to him itary—the processes are pure-food proand he is always happy. Once an opti-If he mist was, lynched for horse stealing has lost his job, it will enable him to out west, and just before they kicked enjoy a nice vacation. If he is starving the barrel out from under him he was be equalled. people are, and smiles. If the home ing over towards the mountains he team is seven runs behind in the 8th murmured: "You couldn't have pickinning, does he leave the park in dis- ed out a spot with a nicer view.



Scene From "ONE GIRL IN A THOUSAND" -- Cornell-Price Players, Dix-

vaiting and in the meantime slice off the nose, car or chin of the

shavee or any other feature of any

Three-No barber shall spring

any ancient and honorable gag such

as "Did you ever hear a keyring?"

while shaving a customer, as the lat

tacle for lather to be scooped out :

little at a time as the barber needs it

Five-Barbers shall not get the

Police Gazette all mussed up and

Six-No barber shall tell a custo-

Seven-No barber shall turn a

man's head while shaving by graps

LIGHTHOUSE.

Lighthouse, Jan. 3-A farmers' in-

arming in the old country. Music

Mrs. Royal Dounen will be grieved to

Morgan, Col., of pneumonia. Beside

Irma Fruin has returned from her

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Fruit and

chool work at Knox college.

ten minutes at a time.

mer the same story that the custo

DEMENTTOWN DOINGS

It has always struck us that if there were more fellows working and fewer fellows saving the country, the country might be able to save itself in the course of time.

A person's opinion of the automo ter's uproarious laughter is liable to bile depends a great deal on whether bring him in violent contact with the he is walking or riding.

razor and he may feel all cut up No matter how much civilization about it. progresses there will always be a lot of fellows who will wear stiff bosom not be used as a temporary recep-

And a lot of others who will cling to the derby hat.

Some Hints to Barbers

We note with a great deal of sat torn before the customers have a isfaction that there is a movement chance to read the pictures. This on foot in this country to pass laws rule shall be imperative. preventing tonsorial artists, also the emmon or garden variety of barbers from eating onions. This is a long mer told him a week before. Prize step in the right direction. Here are fight, race track and baseball gossing a few more rules which should be shall be strictly tabooed.

One-No barber shall take a chew of finecut or plug during the course ing him by the nose and shutting off of a hhave without offering the cus- his supply of ozone for more than

Two-No barber shall turn

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head, chest, body, or limbs. It promptly opens ciogged-up nos trils and air passages; stops nasty her husband she leaves three sons to discharge or nose running; relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness sore throat, sneezing, soreness and

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When the choice red Burley has been ressed into mellow, sweet Spear Head plugs you have a chew that simply can't

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of the world. Try Spear Head-you'll never again be satisfied with any other chew. In

5c and 10c cuts.

HESS' TEAM WILL EAT AT SENNEFF'S EXPENSE

WON GREAT BILLIARD TOURNEY AT FORD'S-FEED NEXT WEDNESDAY.

The billiard tournament held a ind J. DePuy. Of the 36 games played ip to today Carl Hess' team won 25 Evans made the big run during the er at the Saratoga restaurant by the ant in a body.

ELKS TOURNEY NEARING THE END

hampion Three Cushion Player of Club Will Soon Be Known.

The three cushion billiard tournament at the Elks' club house is drawing to a close, there being but six games yet to be played. With these games played off, the winners in the respective contests will meet and the limination will continue until the vinner is finally decided and this forunate person will be awarded a \$1ue as a trophy.

CENSORSHIP ON ALL MAIL

Great Britain Will Supervise Incoming Pieces Including Newspapers.

London, Jan. 5 .- In addition to the elaborate censorship of all outgoing emplete censorship of all incomin

ship. It is expected, however that within a short time such delay will not exceed twenty-four hours. The cason for this new development is not

A. F. & A. M. SPECIAL.

A special meeting of Friendshi Hon. C. C. Perviere of Bureau coun

SOLD RESIDENCE.

Miss Mary F. Wynn has sold her

Will Burhenn was a visitor in Ster-

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and Kindling. D.B. Raymond & Son Mrs. George Stultz has been sick NORTH DIXON COAL YARDS

Ne'son, Jan. 2—The Nelson Social WHY DO YOU SUFFER ire'te meets with Mrs. H. W. Phillips PAINFUL TWINGES:

Tom Hall of Chicago spent New It is no loner necessary for any ears with his brother, George Hall, one to suffer with that headachy all-run-down feeling that is often the result of kidney trouble.

It is no longer necessary for you Mrs. Frank Murray and daughter to contend with disagreeable blad Bernice returned Sunday from a visit er and urinary disorders, or be to: to Clinton, where Mr. Murray is in a ared with rheumatism, stiff or swo en joints or the heart-wrenching Mrs. Roy Williams and son Lyle niseries that follow as a result of were guests Friday at the M. C. Stitreglected or poorly working kidneys Solvax quickly and surely relieves

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wareham and hat has always been so uniformly successful that every package is old under a positive guarantee to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bartholomew are refund the money if it does not relieve the worst case of kidney dis

Paul Smith of Dixon was a guest a Your money back if you wan t," is the way Mr. Rowland, the Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stitzel arrived popular druggist is selling this great me Friday from an extended trip kidney remedy. A guarantee like brough the northwest and California. that speaks eloquently for the merit

Mrs. Charles Moats is caring for Solvax will relieve you. If it doesn' her sister's baby, little Hazef Gant-tell Rowland Bros. that you want zert, made motherless by the accident your money back n which Mrs. Wm. Gantzert was cheerfully refund it.

at the home of Mrs. Thos. Haley. Miss Margaret Kennedy of Clinton Miss Mary Lauer and brother visiting Mrs. Charles Anderson for Elburn are spending the holidays at Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McIlmoyl are the Ed Dempsey home.

Miss McCaffrey of Amboy is visit-They were visited one day last ing at the Martin Whalen home this

Miss Margaret O'Hare went to Boone, Ia., last week to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Henry

Don Castle of Wheeling, Mo., is Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy and here visiting his nephew, F. J. Whitdaughter, Virginia, have been spend-

ing the past week with relatives at Miss Julia McCaffrey and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greve of Ashton are visiting Ilmoyl is acting as yardmaster in Mr. at the Jas. McCaffrey home.

Mrs. Addie Roerbeck of Wyocena Wis., was called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones. She is now visiting at the J. A. Jones home daughters Marian and Evelyn spent in Amboy.

Miss Gladys Morrissey and Marie New Years with Mrs. Janssen's par-McCaffery will return to Clinton on Wednesday to resume their school Mrs. Harry Goodwin and little son duties at St. Clare academy.

James left Tuesday to visit a brother The Royal Neighbors met Thursday afternoon to elect officers for the coming year.

LaSalle to spend several weeks' vaca-Walton, Dec. 30-Mrs. Jno. Burns Vincent Griffith left Tuesday for and son Everett of Amboy are visiting tion with relatives.

Mrs. Howard Wheeler of Oglesby s visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. That you will give photographs as Iax Gerdes.

Misses Frances and Anna Welty of Chicago are spending the'r vacation with their parenes.

COMPTON.

Compton, Jan. 3-Mrs. Ada Bea. s visiting friends here.

Simeon Cole had his sale Thursday nd everything sold well. It is understood that he and his family will go o Konsas. They have resided in this cicinity for a number of years and vill be missed by their many friends who will wish then presperity and appiness in their new home

The King's Daughters met with Ars. Marie Miller Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ogilvie have been en

he attendance at the E. L. social was

Mrs. Webber visited with friends in the country a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Beemer of Ausin were Sunday visitors at the Levi Beemer home.

J. L. Clapp returned to his home n Storm Lake Thursday after spending several days with friends and rel-, atives here.

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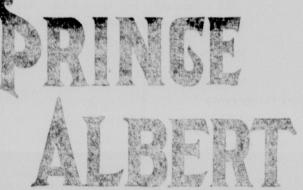
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Smoke P. A. like you went to college with it—it's so chummy! Can't go wrong on P. A. because it's made to spread-smoke-sunshine; to make pipesters and "rollers" glad! The patented process does that—and cuts out bite and parch. All day long you'll sing how glad you are to know



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It's easy to change the shape and color of uncalable brands to imitate the Princo Albert tidy red tin, but it is impossible to imitate the flavor of Prince Albert to-bacco! The patented pro-cess protects that!

You should fret; you should dream about tobacco that hits the spot! And P. A. laying close-by ready to be called by its first name! Nothing to do but load a jimmy pipe or roll a cigarette, make fire-and puff away! You can smoke a barrel of P. A. without a kick! You take this testimony straight and - get glad! It's so cheerful-like to be peaceful, via real and true tobacco!

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everywhere in toppy red bags, 5c; tidy red tins, 10c; hand-

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crystal-glass humi-

dor with sponge-moistener top that

keeps P. A. so fine

and dandy.

ARETTE TOBACCO

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

• CALENDAR EVENTS

Wednesday

Nelson Social Circle-Mrs. H. W.

Grace church Aid-Mrs. John Lie

L. O. O. M .- Moose hall

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary-Mrs. Wm.

Ideal Club-Miss Carrie Smith M. E. Aid-Mrs. F. X. Newcomer

Thursday. Cly Alty club-Mrs. Fred Platten St. Agnes Guild-Mrs. Moss G. L. G. Election—German Luth

eran church

S. Paul's Aid-St. Paul's church Wantoknow club-Mrs. Woolley Mystic drill team meeting-Social ist Hall

Court of Honor-Rickard hall M. E. Missionary-Parsonage Unity Guild-People's church Neighbors Pleasure elub- Mrs. And we hope you're pleased to have Merton Ransom

Modern Woodmen - Woodmen

Friday

Bridge club-Mrs. F. L. Hamilton C. C. Circle-Mrs. Bert Smice St. Ann's Guild-Mrs. A. H. Till-

Epworth League party-Mrs. Fil-

Dorothy Chapter-Masonic hall Knights and Ladies of Security-Miller hall

Saturday. D. A. R.—Mrs. L. D. Pitcher

Big Mystic Meeting

On January 14th the Dixon lodge of Mystic Workers are planning for the largest meeting ever held in Dix on. Mystics from out of town. will be present in large numbers and plans are being made for the banquet to be given the members and

Mystic Drill Team

The Mystic Workers drill team will

From Chana

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wrenn of

Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Heckman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Misman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Kested and family of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Oberge and family of Polo participated in a fam ily reunion and farewell at the O. B. Underhoffer home at Brookville, Ill. for two daughters of the family who move soon to Minnesota.

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lotte Way. DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE Neurologist Health Instructor,

223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Illinois. Faone 160 for Appointments.

Burprised President The members of the Snaidni club

successfully surprised their presi-FOR COMING WEEK & dent, Mrs. Mark Brown, Tuesday, ly celebrated by the Snaidni club Lady Foresters-Mrs. Rose Reil- of a meeting on Wednesday with and I," by Frank LaForge. She re-Mrs. Alderfer as hostess, caused her sponded to an encore with "The to think hers had been forgotten Star." by Rogers. and the club found her busy at her a birthday surprise. The club mem | Schumann number as an encore, The bers were laden with oysters, pick- Phidians were treated to a rarely in les, celery, salads, cake and coffee, and the greetings over, dinner was soon enjoyed. Mrs. M. D. Grimes, in behalf of the club members, presented Mrs. Brown with a handsome Morocco leather bound birthday book, using the following words:

> Dear Sister Brown, our president, We're here again, you see; One year ago today while here We were happy as could be.

And we don't forget the places Where we're welcomed and made glad

For we don't want to "get in bad

We have been so used to have you To tell us what to do

So tried an oyster stew. We also brought a birthday book With our names all written in When your birthday comes again

so we wish you many more birth-

The best of health and cheer From the members of the Snaidni

In whose hearts you're ever dear.

The afternoon spen in social chat and needlework, passed only too

Visited in St. Louis

Mrs. W. H. Coppins returned last evening from St. Louis where she anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bert with current topics of the day. Beebe, formerly of this city. Mrs. Beebe is a sister of Mrs. Coppins. E. B. Raymond and Miss Hitchcock Socialist hall. Every member is re- Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Biddulph accom presiding in the dining room. panied their daughter to St. Louis and will remain for a longer visit.

Harmon R. N. A. Dance

The Royal's Neighbors of Harmon Chana were here shopping Monday will hold a dance at Dedd's hall in and were entertained at luncheon by Harmon Friday evening, Jan. 7, to meet Friday with Mrs. F. L. Hamil-Mrs. Wrenn's mother, Mrs. Henry which all are invited. Good music ton in her new home, 124 E. Boye will be provided and a happy even- street. ing is assured all.

To Return to Spokane

Mrs. Wm. Mathews. and baby who have been visiting her parents Atty. and Mrs. C. B. Morrison, will return tomorrow to her home in Spokane, Wash.

Meeting Omitted

The regular meeting of the Auxilfary, U. S. W. V., was omitted last evening because f so much sikness among the members.

Postpone Meeting

The Flag Corners' Embroidery club, which was to have met Thurs day evening with Mrs. Calvin Garland has been postponed one week because of so much sickness in the membership.

Winter in Biloxi

Mrs. W. C. Dysart leaves tomorrow for Biloxi, Miss., to spend the winter. Quite a Dixon colony is gathering in the quaint old gulf port. Mrs. Mahlon Forsythe and daughter and Mrs. Rodesch went a

D. A. R. Meeting

The Dixon chapter of the Daugh

M. E. Missionary

The Woman's Foreign Missionary healthier and the society of the Methodist church will more successful- meet Thursday afternoon at the par

Dinner Guests

County Clerk Fred Dimick entertained at dinner yesterday at the home of Supervisor and Mrs. Frank Young of south Dixon.

For over forty years it has been used as A TONIC AND STOMACH REM-EDY. Peruna aids the appetite and gives new life to

Phidian Art Club

Phidian Art club met with Mrs. teresting talk on Philadelphia by Mrs. Harry Warner. Irs. Warner' paper was decidedly comprehensive,

The two characters who stand out most conspicuously in the history of Philadelphia are William Penn and senjamin Franklin. ence, embracing that religion. He traveled extensively, expounding his religious beliefs and later founded the city under discussion, naming it Philadelphia after an early Chris tian city in the far East.

Quaker city.

The situation was ideal, the sur rounding country fertile and produc founded city was flourishing, healthy sact. All members are earnestly remany points of historic interest,-Christ's Church, the Old Swede church, Independence Hall, Carpenter Hall, and the Betsy Ross house being conspicuous

Many of America's now commo phia ,among them newspaper. The first American bat tleship was built here; the first bo tanical gardens, the first country wide exposition (the Centennial 1876), and the first Sunda school in the world, were Philadel phia institutions.

three of Longfellow's poems, "The Ladder of St. Augustine," went to attend the 25th wedding were followed by Mrs. O. B. Brown

The Phidians adjourned to mee

Ahrens of Peoria avenue.

Bridge Club

The South Side Bridge club will Greve:

Unity Guild

The Unity Guild of the People' church will meet Thursday after noon at the church parlors. The mee ing will be followed by a scramble dinner at 6 o'clock and later in the evening a lecture will be given b the pastor, Rev. T. W. Horsfield.

O. E. S. Meeting

A regular meeting of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., with work, will be held Friday evening at Masonic hall

GIRLS! HAVE A MASS OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR SOFT, GLOSSY, WAV)

25-cent bottle destroys dandruff and doubles beauty of your hair.

Within ten minutes after an appli- blessings toward them; cation of Danderine you can not find

The Hoi Polloi club party to have been held at the home of Mrs. Louis Leydig has been postponed because of the necessary absence from town o one of the hostesses.

Miss Franc Ingraham entertained

Gave Dinner

with a dinner last evening. In Maytown

Miss Lucinda Zentz and brother

Modern Woodmen Meeting

Thomas Zentz, spent Sunday at the

L. L. Club Postponed

The L. L. club will be postponed giving he rhearers clear and system among the members but will be held atic information concerning the next week with Mrs. Wm. DeVies, of

Neighbor's Pleasure Club

Mrs. Merton Ransom will enterof other guests have been invited and a pleasant time is being planned

Court of Honor

The Court of Honor meets in reg There are candidates for initiation defaulted. and other important business to tran and happy. Philadelphia contains quested to be present.—Anna Gibson district manager.

Farewell Reception

The members of the Congregation al church an dother friends of the retiring pastor, Rev. C. E. Stebbins, and of his family, gathered in large numbers last evening to bid them God speed in a farewell reception missed at his costs. held at the church.

ow, was rendered:

Reading-Mrs. E. Stevens Duet-Mrs. Gumm and Mrs. Ry-

Vocal solo-Mrs. John Greve Reading -Mrs. Gumm

Address, Rev. F. D. Altman, D. D. regret of the pastors of the city of cation participated. Dixon at the closing of Mr. Stebbins'

The following resolutions, speaking the regret of the people of the church, were read by Mrs. John

Be it resolved therefore, that we hereby testify to profound feeling of gratitude for the unceasing labors of our devoted pastor, that his many worthy traits and noble character have won for him the friendship and

regard of Dixon people: Whereas, our beloved and esteem fitting that we as an organized body should express our appreciation of their work and regret at their de

Resolved, that the work accomstimulated and forwarded by the interests and enthusiasm of the pas-

Resolved, that at the departure Rev. C. E. Stebbins and family e are deeply grateful for all their ndnesses and most lovingth oughts f their stay in Dixon will remain n our memories;

Resolved, that we wish them the pest success and may our prayers and good wishes follow them and we trust to God Almighty to ever continue His

Resolved, that a copy of these reso a single trace of dandruft or falling lutions be forwarded to the pastor, hair and your scalp will not itch, but one placed upon the church record,

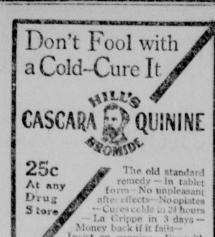
Committee, Mrs. John Greve, chair,

Abram Ackert, Miss Anna Alfenderfer.

ence how dull, faded, brittle and Stebbins, a member of their organi- Montgomery Ward & Co. ing-your hair will be light, fluffy ing tray as a token of their regard. and wavy, and have an appearance of Both Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins responded with well chosen words of thanks, ing received a letter from his sister, telling of the happy years spent in Mrs. E. A. Wright of Portageville,

today to attend the State Poultry past ten days with a severe cold.

illnesss of Mrs. Fuestman's brother. D. M. FAHRNEY, Auct.



DEFAULTS TAKEN IN CIRCUIT COURT TODAY

H. Hill Company, Detroit

TRIAL LIST FOR TERM WAS AL-SO COMPILED AT SES-SIONS TODAY

The old and new dockets were called this morning in the circuit the term and from one to two cases

Default was taken in a number of matters during the day. Those acted upon as shown by the docket are

Frank Hanrahan vs. Bertha Hanrahan, divorce, defendant called and

divorce, cause heard and decree Charles E. Barnhart vs. erne VM. Barnhart, divorce, defendant called

and defaulted. James S. Briggs vs. Glenn A. Rich ards, assumpsit, defendant called

Bert Swarts vs. Edward Neville

Following serving of an excellent rodt, cause heard and judgment rer scramble supper a short program, dered against defendant in favo consisting of the numbers given be- of plaintiff for \$\$365 and costs of

ROCHELLE

Rochelle, Jan. 4-The social cli Reading-Mrs. Herman Missman max of holiday week was the charity ball, New Year's eve at the Woodman hall in which a brilliant company of about 150 representatives of astor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rochelle society and college boys who expressed in a brief speech the and girls home for the holiday va-

> The hall was handsomely decorat ed for the affair in red and green, man lodge. A handsome wall design was used to advantage on the north and the lodge numerals were worked out. Christmas bells and wreathes were also used to coate a contagious

holiday atmosphe. 3 and setting. A program of 17 dances, 1 extra and the grand march were on the dance orders. Dancing continued till 1 o'clock, Palmer's orchestra of De-Kalb furnished the music. Card tables for those preferring that form lodge rooms. Fruit punch was served

all evening. Shortly before 12 o'clock the grand march led by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Branch was formed. As the chimes announcing the arrival of the new year sounded, they stopped

counted the fleeting hours and wish ed each other a Happy New Year. The charity ball proved to be one of the prettiest formal parties ever held here. The Friendly society is to be congratulated. Rochelle has yet to witness a prettier or more success

Edward Elliott, the impersolator, will give "The Fortune Hunter," as course in the Presbyterian church this) Tuesday eevening.

Fred Gardner submitted to an op eration for appendicitis at the Lincoln hospital Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Vaile entertain ed with a reception New Years day in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant

the New Year week end with his mother, Mrs. Ida May and other Ro The resolutions read: The W. C. T. chelle relatives. Mr. May is employ les the beauty of your hair. No differ- U. ladies in their appreciation of Mrs. ed in the merchandise department of

Grover, who is spending the winter in B. S. Schildberg went to DeKalb Portageville, has been quite ill the

COMBINATION SALE. Mrs. Katherine Fuestman and At Manges Feed Barns, Dixon, Ill.,

surely can have beautiful hair and daughter, Nell Fuestman, were cal- Thursday, Jan. 13, 1916. Bring your lots of it if you will just try a little led to Streator, today by the serious horses and anything you wish to sell.

YOU ARE STILL IN TIME

To become a Member of

The City National Bank's Christmas

Savings Club

If you have not already become a member, think the matter over seriously. Ask those about it who have enrolled and who are thoroughly familiar with the advantages that you will enjoy if you become one.

Those who know will tell you that it is the sure and convenient way to provide money for Christmas or other purposes.

We extend a final invitation to you a nd your friends to come in before the enrollment books close.

Too Late To Classify

WANTED. Woman, white or colored. to do housework. No washing or ironing or fires to attend to. Phone

FOR SALE. Furniture and furnishings of five room downtown flat. Can be used by two families. Rooms can be leased at reasonable rent and furnishings for sale cheap. Owner leaving Dixon. See Houghton-Vaile WANTED: Man to take away gar-

FOR SALE: Twenty head of healthy fall pigs, Chester Whites. Weigh sixty pounds or better. Call 51,210, Ralph Dixon.

FOR SALE: Sixty shocks of corn in field. Many of the ears arewell ma tured. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire at 1122 Nachusa Ave., south 3 3 Northwestern depot.

19c

Pre-Inventory S-A-L-E

of short lengths, odd lots and clearance of seasonable merchandise.

Remnants of Wool Dress Goods in Black and Colored Goods, good lengths for Skirts, Waists and Children's Dresses at One-Half the Price

Cotton Remnants of Calico, Percale, Ginghan, Tennis Flannel, etc., special for this sale at One-Half Children's Fleeced Hose, 15c value at Children's and Ladies' Heavy Fleeced. Vests

sold 35c to 50c, special to close

Tennis Flannel, 8c quality special, yd

Ladies' Serge and Silk Dresses to Clean the Racks At One Half Price

One Lot Ladies' and Misses' Winter Coats. good styles and warm practical garments; values

\$15.00 to \$25.00 at 25 Ladies' Suits, all this Falls' styles and materials navy, brown, green, black and mixtures in the line -25 to \$37.50 values; make your selection early—

At One Half. Ladies' and Misses' Coats, all the latest and most popular cloths and styles, rather than invoice make a selection and buy—At One-Half.

One Lot Silks in plaids, stripes and flounced, sold at 50c to \$1.50 per yard; Pre-Inventory Price, per yard

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JANUARY 5 1915

A COUNTRY CLUB FOR DIXON.

number of members. It is absolutely necessary to have at least one hundred the Creek remarked the case of the cas members and two hundred would be better. It is up to the Dixonites who They weren't flerce, but tamed by Circe's art. Playful as dogs, these dreadful feel willing to support this institution which will be such an improvement animals wagged their tails, stood on their hind feet and licked the Greeks' Lansing over the telephone from the to the town, to make known their willingness and join the club now while their subscription is needed.

you want to join the country club. Mr. Pitcher is chairman of the special and they all turned into pigs that ate the acorns on the ground." membership committee.

a big membership and unless a creditable membership can be secured the committee in charge will drop the matter and Dixon will have no country club. Do not decide to wait until summer when you want to use the club, feasted Odysseus, who was hungry, and touched him with her wand he drew for if you do you may find there is no club house.

in an ideal spot. It is right at the end of the car line that runs out to the himself, enjoyed living on the island so much that they almost forgot about state colony, on North Crawford avenue, and the brick paving that will be laid this summer will also reach out that far. The eighty acres the club will daddy finished, with two big bugs. use lies directly opposite the administration building of the state colony and the scenery is very sightly in all directions. The ground for the golf course is generously intersperse dwith natural hazards and golf experts say that it will make an ideal course. A great portion of the land is still in meadow land and ready for use. There is also plenty of high, level ground with shade trees and sites for a club house, tennis courts, children's play grounds, etc. - Send your live stock to Shan-A public highway bounds the land on three sides. The land lies between the non Bros. & Co., Union Stock Yards, Hazelwood road and the present Lowell park road and the grounds and club Chicago. house will be in plain view of either highway.

The Dixon Country club, should it succeed, and we feel sure that it day to Wooster University at Woos will, will be a big progressive step for Dixon. It will be an asset of which we ter, O., after spending the holidays will be justly proud and Dixon will be all the more attractive for the addi- with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. tion of this new playground for the community.

It is fortunate that it is possible to have the Country club on the street car line and on brick pavement, for it will make it available to all, whether kasco and White Satin, each sack owners of vehicles or not. It would be very nice to have the club on the river, guaranteed. Good naval orange but it was found to be impractical for several reasons, mainly great expense 25c doz.; cabbage 2c lb.; 16 lbs and lack of general transportation.

Get behind this movement for a Country club, people of Dixon, and give good bacon 17c lb.; evaporated mill · it your hearty financial and moral support.

WILD RABBITS FOR PROFIT.

Two shipping firms in two Kentucky counties, according to a statement | George E. Mann was up from Ster published in the Warsaw Independent, had, two weeks before Christma shipped 100,000 wild rabbits to northern markets. Shipments were still on the rush when the report was made, and it is expected that the wild rabbit tor in this city yesterday afternoon. pla naws first worekd out at Waukon crop of these two counties for the season will total in excess of 150,000 cotton tails. If so many for two counties, how many for the whole of Kentucky? And what the sum total of rabbits for the whole United States It is a sum ton yesterday afternoon. in speculative arithmetic respectfully put up to the bright boys and girls of the sixth grade, though the mathematicians of the fourth and fifth grades Mrs. Silas Uhl is here from St. the big coal strike of 1914, and are not barred.

One article of food at least we seem yet to be breeding in the wild and producing it in such great abundance that every city marketed during November and December has been fully stocked. Among the game stories affoat is one concerning a New Jersey farmer, who ceased to cultivate his fields 20 years ago—just allowed them to go to grass, weeds and underbrush. Also,

T. McCade and F. B. Stout of Ash without his contriving, his farm of recent years has been producing marvelous crops of rabbits and this season he has derived a considerable income yesterday. from selling a day's shooting privilege to city sportsmen.

No other wild animal is as prolific as the rabbit. It is easily demonstrat- Mrs. Michael Blackburn went to ed by arithmetical process that a single pair of rabbits, if living conditions Chicago this morning to spend a few were favorable, and if their offspring were not raided during the time by the days. gunners, hawks, owls, minks, weasels and dogs, would with a ten-year's period of time multiply to more than a round billion. There would be about 4,000,000 rabbits the sixth year—but let us pause there and give the hawks, minks, cats, dogs and gunners a chance. The wild rabbit is rather too willing to take possession of the earth if permitted to do so .- Baltimore American. Vincent Arnold spent the day in

CHANGES HIS MIND TOO LATE.

It is now suggested in Washington that President Wisson will change spent yesterday here visiting at the home and present to him a floral piece his foleign policy and instead of trying to hold Germany and her allies to "strict accountability," he will warn Americans to stay off the vessels of Mrs. Charles Huber of North Dix the belligerents, or take their own chances. Uncle Sam will refuse to defend on is entertaining her sister, Mrs. them. Uncle Sam has got cold feet, in other words.

Mr. Wilson should have made that resolution long ago. He should have Mr. and Mrs. George Conley and SAYS CZERNOWITZ IS TAKEN made it before the Lusitania was blown up. As long as we do not want to daughter Milderd who have been fight, that was the safest position to take, although mayhap it is not the most guests over the holiday of Mr. Con It Is Reported Teutons Have Evacucourageous stand to take.

But for Mr. Wilson to take that position now, after his previous notes threats, ultimatums, etc., regarding the valorous manner in which the United States would back up its citizens and avenge their deaths, can Uncle Sam Johnson went to Oregon this morning afford to admit its bluff has been called? The bullies across the way will on business in the circuit court. swagger all the more insolently.

WHAT PREPAREDNESS MEANE.

"What is spared in money is spilled in blood." This utterance by David her home where she is under the Huerta was operated upon a second Lloyd George in the house of commons is a complete statement of the meaning of preparedness for national defense. England was not prepared when the war came and has had to prepare while fighting for her existence.

Seeing a long ways behind does not require a great amount of gray Dixon today.

Daddy's Bedtime

Story — Visited the Daughter

How the Greeks



Pigs Back Into Greeks.

HIS is the best time of all day," said Evelyn on daddy's lap. What with storms, cruel treatment and bad winds the brave Greek Odysseus lost all his ships except his very own," daddy be- by Secretary Tumulty after conference gan. "So, very sad at the loss of so many brave companions, he | with the president rowed and rowed his one boat till be came to a beautiful island where lived Circe, the daughter of the sun."

"Tell us about her, daddy!" cried the children.

She was a beautiful magician who trained wild animals to obey her. She matter and will act just as soon as the had a wonderful menagerie, and also sang very charmingly. When Odysseus | information is obtained. climbed a bill and looked about in the very center of the island he saw a palace Only one thing stands between Dixon and a country club. That is the in a bower of trees. It looked pleasant, but he had learned to be careful, so the Greeks reached the palace a lot of lions, tigers and wolves ran up to them. I from his honeymoon a few hours prehands, while Circe's voice floated out of the palace in a beautiful song. This was all too pleasant, and the leader of the men began to fear trouble. So he called loudly, and Circe came out and invited the Greeks into her palace. They White House immediately following Call up Louis Pitcher, manager of the telephone company, and tell him for when Circo had feested the Creake the town. It was just right, the sinking of the Lusitania in May, for when Circe had feasted the Greeks she touched them with her magic wand, | 1915, took care to explain that the

What did the leader do?' eried Jack. He ran back to the boat and told Odysseus, who decided to enter the pal-The country club cannot be organized and properly maintained without ace and try to save his comrades. On the way he met a graceful youth, fortunately, about the magic arts of Circe and gave him a wonderful sprig of a certain plant that had the power to resist magic. So that when Circe had his sword and rushed right at her. This frightened her so that she begged for mercy, promising to turn the pigs back into Greeks. And she kept her word. The site selected for the Country club is very beautiful and is located Then the sailors came up from the boats, and all the Greeks, even Odyssens going home. But one day they remembered, and Circe told them how to pass safely a very dangerous coast beyond hers. So they all put to sea sgals;

> 'Couldn't you tell us now, daddy?' begged Evelyn. But daddy smiled and looked at the clock.

theep to Chicago.

Miss Marjorie Snyder returned to the grip.

best granulated sugar for \$1.00 with dollar order; bananas 15c doz.; \$1.00 per doz.; dill pickles 10c doz. We pay 36c for fresh eggs. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. Phone 109.

Harry Herwig was down from Ash

home on Third street.

Harry E. Spear of Polo spent yes terday with friends in this city.

Sheriff R. R. Phillips was in Stew ard today looking after some busi-

the east end of the county looking af ter land interests.

Robert Harper of Rock Falls.

ley's mother, returned to Sioux City

Y. M. C. A. was in Sterling today on road.

Mrs. Eliza English is very ill at

Mrsc. Harriet McKinstry is under treatment at the Katherine Shaw Be

J. U. Weyant was in Clinton, Ia.,

Miss Dorothy Dimmick is recoverng nicely from a severe attack of

ff here today to visit his parents, Mr.

nd Mrs. Josiah Fry. He was return-

Miss Ethel Gorham is ill.

Fred O'Boy returned Monday from visit at his home in Castalia, Ia.

John Becker of Sublette transacd business in this city Tuesday.

MANY CITIES ABOPT METHOD TO GET MONEY IN CIR-CULATION

The Pay Up Week idea is spread-R. A. Bloom of DeKalb was a visi ing all over the United States. The Ia., a town of 2,000 a year or two many of them old ones, were paid up during the week. Next, the state of Colorado took up the idea after Louis, Mo., on a visit at the Gannon Pay Up Week was held in most of the towns of Colorado during the week, May 22 to 29, 1915. This loos ened up thousands of dollars that vere hidden away and made prosper ty shine when otherwise hard times would have continued.

> Galesburg is having a Pay Up Week this week, Jan. 1to Jan. 8th. and in all the newspaper advertiseand I'll Pay You." The National Pay Ip Week, that is being put on all over the country is occur Feb. 24,

FORD DODGES HOME CROWD

Remains in Private Car When Detroit Citizens Bring Flowers.

Detroit, Jan. 5.—Henry Ford, leader of the peace mission to The Hague, re turned to Detroit, but at the station ne avoided a delegation of citizens William Osborne of Freeport who had planned to welcome him in recognition of his peace efforts. He remained in his private car and proreeded to his country home at Dear-

> A public meeting in honor of Mr. Ford is planned for the near future.

ated Bukowina Capital.

Petrograd. Jan. 5 .- It is reported that the Austrians and Germans have Attorney J. W. Watts an . S. E. evacuated Czernowitz as a result of ommanding the city.

It is stated that the Russian sucesses also prevent the Teutons from Secretary E. T. Bailey of the local using the Czernowitz-Zalesczki rail-

Huerta's Condition Critical.

El Paso, Jan. 5.—General Victoriano Huerta was operated upon a second extremely critical. The operation was more extensive than before and the tapping was done from a deeper area.

Cardinal Mercier Going to Rome. Rome, Jan. 5.-Cardinal Mercier is A. G. Graham of Rockford was in going to Rome on the 20th, the kaiser having granted the plea of Pope Benedict that Cardinal Mercier be allowed to confer with him regarding the fate of the Belgian population.

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public assurances that there would be no unnecessary delay in determining

this government's course of action. These assurances were contained in

"The President and the secretary of state are taking every means possible to obtain the full facts in this grave

White House Officials who recalled promise to "act" did not necessarily imply a promise to break off diplomatic relations with any of the Teu-

Congress Forestalled.

The statement was issued partly it a understood because of reports that congress which reconvened would dis-

sue a more drastic policy fore congress was called to order at house committee on foreign affairs. Bert Fry of Plainfield, Ia., stopped definite action without consulting nois as a county of Virginia. ing home after taking a carload of good offices to prevent intemperate at Coppins school. discussion on the situation in the

> Asks Congress to Thank Ford. Washington, Jan. 3.—Representative dwards of Georgia introduced a reso- Dixon today. itino asking congress to extend thanks to Henry Ford for his "generous contributions and noble purpose in trying to bring about peace in

Mrs. Ed Lott of Franklin Grove was a Dixon shopper yesterday.

DIXON OPERA HOUSE

8 Nights Commencing

SUNDAY, JAN. 9 THE

CORNELL-PRICE PLAYERS

With Happy Hal Price OPENING PLAY

ONE GIRL IN THOUSAND

6---Big Vaudeville Acts---

PLAY AND VAUDEVILLE CHANGED EACH NIGHT DURING THE ENGAGEMENT.

Prices 10c, 20c and 30c Reserved Seats Friday at Campbell's

Note-Ladies will be admitted free on Monday night, Jan. 10, if accompanied by party holding a pald 30c ticket purchased befors 6 p, m, on Monday.

ILLINOIS HISTORY & * * * * * * * * * *

Jan. 7, 1782—All authorized law in tone of the senate foreign relations Illinois came to an end, as the Virginia legislature adjourned without reenacting the expired statute which that the administration would take no provided for the government of Illi-

> David Merriett of Mt. Carrol is here visiting his brother, a student

J. U. Weyant went to Clinton, Ia., today on business.

Otto Heland of Harmon was in

Robert Sterling is on the sick list. Miss Neva McCleary is confined to

her home with the grip. Atty. Clyde Smith has been in Mor rison the past three days on business here yesterday.

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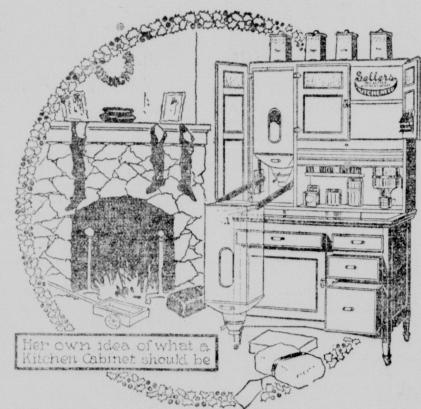
ASSOCIATION Opera Block, DIXON, ILL

T. W. Bennett who has been ill of pneumonia for seven weeks, was able to be out today for the first time

Miss Schnell of Ashton was here yesterday shopping.

Miss Tina Ortgiesen of Nelson was

Sellers Kitcheneed



THEY need no introduction to the citizens of this community because we have placed a great many in **Dixon** Homes, and in every case we have made a friend and a satisfied customer.

Why Should It Not Be So.

In this Kitchen Cabinet you have all the latest improvements. They are all Labor Savers and it is hardly necessary to point them out. However—Note the Automatic Flour Bin, the sliding Bottom, Sliding Metal Shelves, Disappearing Front Door (You don't have to bother moving articles off the work table, as in the old fashioned out of-date hinged doors). The Porcelain Work Table—the kind that is always Sanitary is impervious to acids or hot dishes do not injure. That alone put this Cabinet far and away in the lead of others. NOTE THE FOLLOWING.

Read Every Word of This

Now in order to introduce this Beautiful Cabinet in more Homes and in the quicket possible way—we will for THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SAT-UBDAY of this week—JANUARY 7-8-9—make unheard of prices on these articles

FORGET EVERYTHING ELSE

but don't forget the above dates. It don't make any difference if you don't want it for two months, you can't afford to leave this the opportunity of a Life Time Pass. Where, Why At

MOYER'S Furniture Store

The Place in Dixon for Furniture Bargains

SIMPLE REMEDY CATARRH

Just Breathe Hyomei Four Times Day and Be Relieved.

If a few years ago some one had said you could treat catarrh by breath ing air charged with a healing balsam, the idea would have been ridiculed and it remained for the eminent investigator, R. T. Booth, to discover in Hyomei this wonderful method of treatment.

Hyomei has performed almost mi raculous results in treating catarrh and is today recognized by thousands of people as the only advertised remedy for catarrh that can be relied upon to do just what it claims. The complete outfit of Hyomei is inexpensive and consists of an inhaler, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei.

Breath the air of Hyomei through the little inhaler druggists furnish with it for a few minutes four times a day and it will help the worst case of catarrh. It soothes and heals the mucous membrans of the air passages prevents irritation, and effects complete and lasting relief.

In Dixon there are scores of well known people who have been relieved of catarrh by Hyomei. If it does not help you Rowland Bros. will return the money you paid for Hyomei. This is the strongest evidence that can be offered as to their faith in this rem-

G. A. R. CIRCLE NOTICE

All members of Dixon Circle, No 73, Ladies of the G. A. R., are re quested to attend in a body the funeral of our late sister, Johanna Covert, at the late residence, 521 Col lege avenue. The circle will conduct the services.

CHIMNEY FIRE TODAY

The fire department answered call this morning at 10:45 o'clock to coln Way, due to the burning out o. a chimney. There was practically no damage done.

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING

hold its annual meeting at the church this evening commencing at papiermache royalty, provide a few of ary in February 1915. The line is 7:30.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.

Heirs Jos Groff to R W Smith and Eli G Hull wd \$1105 e 116 ft of lot 10 blk 3 Franklin Grove.



PRINCESS THEATRE Tonight the Princess theatre will

show a Broadway Star feature entitled "To Cherish and Protect" with Harry Morey, Harry Northrup, Rogers Lytton, Caroline Birsch and Denton Vale in the leading roles, a story in which after gambling with a custo mer's stock and losing a stockbroking firm is ruined. They trick one of the number into a promise which nearly ends fatally, but after some thrilling adventures the enemies are conquered and he is reunited with his faithful wife. The comedy on the bill is an Essanay cartoon comedy entitled "Dreamy Dud Up in the Air" drawn by Wal lace A. Carlson.

FAMILY THEATRE.

they are wrecked by the buffets of ma has been opened.

ling truths, this current production of They had been unsuccessful in efforts Baron Cosaca, her prime minister, ject the engineers decided the materthe Mrs. Geo. Lenox home, 114 Lin- and also by her side is Stephan, the by use of a track laid upon the le dom betrothed to her for geographi- from the overflow of the Colorado lamb chops, jumping with fright at | and the first spike driven May 1 o The Congregational church will tle, putting her shoes in the ice box, 1914 delayed construction work but the many humorous moments of the 25 1/2 miles long, including sidings.

OPERA HOUSE

The feature program of plays at the Opera House tonight is Line." The car carries 70 passengers merce commission.

as follows: "The Man from Argen-tine," a modern society drama in two TEACHERS TO MEET parts with a strong supporting cast, with Sydney Ayres and Doris Pawn in the leading roles, "The Ore Mystery," a Lady Raffles and detective dude comedy with pienty of laughs 'A Cigarette, That's All," a powerful drama in two parts featuring Phillips Smalley with a brilliant cast and the Animated Weekly, showing the world's latest current events.

UNCLE SAM'S RAILWAY IS PAYING PROPOSITION

GOVERNMENT OWNED LINE IN ARIZONA GIVES OFFICIALS GREAT SATISFACTION.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 5-Successful op eration of a government-owned railroad, which private interests could not be persuaded to build, is causing Mary Pickford, most beloved of all much satisfaction to the interior demotion picture stars, makes the great partment officials. The line, extending Penmanship, and Nature Study, could get the necessary help at Ste est impression of her illustrious ca- 25 miles from Yuma, Ariz., to the Time limited to three minutes each. ling where he had an office and Mar reer in Channing Pollock's famous Mexican boundary line, through the play of comedy and sentiment, "Such Yuma Valley, has been in operation phia Grant a Little Queen," produced in five reels since February and has carried 300,to be shown at the Family tonight. 000 tons of rock beside frequent ship-The basic theme of the play is the ex- ments of other freight which are inperience of a young queen exiled from creasing. Passenger traffic has been her own kingdom for political dissen-light, owing to the unpopulated resion, who finds a refuge in America, gion through which the road runs, The little queen proves there is not but considerable progress has been not much real difference between roy- made in the settlement of the counalty and the common people when try and a townsite 18 miles from Yu-

Construction of the railroad, the For sheer charm of story, quaint- second government-owned line, was ness and daintiness of the central deemed a necessity by officials of the character, honest sentiment and thril United States reclamation service. the Famous Players Film Co. is one to interest private capital which conof the gems of the current dramatic sidered the prospect doubtful for the era. The queen after her exile is seen payment even of its expenses. As a sys beginning her life anew in a Harem tem o frock revetment was required flat in the kitchen. Attending her is by the Yuma Valley reclamation prowho has accompanied her into exile, ial could be placed economically only debonair ruler of an adjoining king- vee which protects the Yuma Valley cal reasons. A real queen cooking river. Work was begun April 9, 1914 every blast of the dumb waiter whis- that year. The annual summer of and generally conducting herself as it was completed to the Mexican boun

Equipment of the road consists of a gasoline motor car bearing in bold letters the inscription: "United States vice and carried on its line, charges

AT HARMON JAN. 8

GOOD PROGRAM HAS BEEN PRE-PARED FOR SATURDAY'S MEETING

A teachers' meeting will be held at the Harmon school Saturday, Jan 8, which promises to be of more than ordinary interest. undqubtedly it himself on account of the wife and will be largely attended by the in- seven children at Princeton, and structors in that section of the coun The program is:

Address-Rev. Father P. H.

The Teacher's Attitude Deter John. mines the Efficiency of the School-Supt. E. O. Phares

Number Work, History, Geography, videre Childs said

son and pupils

1:30 Music-Grade Pupils Demonstration of Beacon Method immediately. in Primary Reading-Mis Anna Car

Playground and Recreation Per iods-Miss Jennie Oakes

Vocal Duet-Misses Garland and Round Table and Question Box-

Conducted by Co. Supt. L. W. Miller

School and Community Co-opera-

The Greatest School Needs in My

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH

There will be a lecture in the church parlors on Thursday evening Subject, "The Crusades." Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

George Bishop went to Chicago on

and makes regular trips daily to the boundary and return from Yuma. A taken over by the Reclamation Ser-manner.

LOOKING FOR MORE OF CHILDS FORGERIES

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he planned to take up the note withi

Shurtleff Swears Out Warrant

Pleading for a chance to retrive protesting that he had no intent to defraud anyone, Childs was invited 9:00 Music-Harmon High school to Marengo for a conference. In the meantime Mr. Shurtleff had sworn out a warrant for his arrest and

After another conference at Belvi denre the next day it was agreed Music-High School Boys' Quar that Childs would be permitted to go to Peoria to consult the officers of Short talks by teachers relating to the insurance company, the Marengo the tpoics of Literature (Text Read- marshal to hold him a virtual pris ing, Poetry, Stories, Fairy Tales) oner on the trip. After leaving Bel-Presentation-Miss So-shal St. John accompanied him to his two brothers in St. Louis and they telegraphed they would come

Wanted to See Family

While awaiting.. their arrival Childs pleaded for a chance to visit his wife and children at Princeton, saving he would pay the marshal's expenses for the extra time the offi cer was to spend in Sterling, which General discussion of the follow- accounts for the confidence the Marengo officer had that Childs would re turn the next day and he permitted him to go alone.

> Instead of returning as he had promised Childs headed straight for Chicago and from that city wrote a letter to Sterling threatening to take

his own life.

After leaving Belvidere in company with Marshal St. John it appears that Childs paid a visit to the home office of the company at Peoria It is reported that the story he told the head officials did not disclose the real mess he was in. It is said he informed President May he was in trouble over 'past due papers.'

A few days ago President May who is a personal friend of Frank R. contract has been made with a trans- Covey, of this city, wrote Mr. Covey continental railroad for joint use of informing him that Childs had been tracks at Yuma. Carload shipments there and that the matters had bee destined for the Yuma Valley are straightened out in a satisfactory

Now the question is did Childs suc photo Reclamation Service, Yuma Valley being regulated by the interstate com ceed in getting the company to advance funds for the ostensible pur-

pose of taking up 'past due papers' Happy Homes Need

Mr. Covey said that when he eard from President May over the hone recently he was not aware of the serious charges against Childs. At the time I only knew Childs was having some trouble over policies and I explained this to Mr. May," said Mr. Covey. sent President May a full report or the forgeries.

AT PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. E. C. Lumsden, the popular church, gave an execellent address on "Missions and Brotherhood," last of services of the week of Prayer. some of the latest. The pastor, Rev. A. J. Holland, will speak this evening, and Dr. Altman, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church will speak Thursday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to you.

Last evening before Justice George W. Hill, Clarence Barnes of Chicago was arraigned to answer the charge of intoxication and on pleading guilty was assessed a fine of \$3 and costs.

Attorneys W. L. Leech and James Kelley of Amboy were here today attending court.

Comfortable Furniture

Comfort and happiness go hand-in-hand. Comfortable Later Mr. Covey Furniture therefore means much in the happiness of your

AllUp -to-date

and eloquent pastor of the Methodist furniture nowadays is built for comfort as well as for show. evening at the second of the series Come in and let us show you

C. Gonnerman Furniture and Undertaking 209 First St. Dixon, II

OPERA HOUSE ON TOP.

By defeating the Brunswicks, 25 to 16. Tuesday evening the Opera House three-cushion billiard team took a one game lead in the contest between the two parlors.

Miss Mary Keenan is quite sick at her home on East Seventh street.

Only a Few

We Will Offer You Anything in Our

Dry Goods Stock ...at...

Greatly Reduced Prices

E. J. Countryman Co

LAST 3 DAYS IN OUR PRESENT LOCATION

We close this store on next Saturday night—and on Wednesday, Jan. 12th, we open the doors for business at 23 Galena Ave., in a new fireproof well-lighted and modern building, with two floors and basement, where we shall be pleased to greet all our patrons. We propose in this last week to reduce our present stock to the lowest limit,

PROFITS DURING THIS SALE WILL BE LOST

BUT we propose to celebrate this event with one of the Largest Sales ever held in Dixon. Make out your list for Spring in Table Linen, Napkins, Muslins, Sheets, Crashes, Ginghams, Underwear, Cloaks, Shoes, etc.,—and let us help you SAVE MONEY in your purchases. You doubtless are aware that practically everything in the Dry Goods line is now being sold at a sharp advance in price—and this Sale comes at JUST THE RIGHT TIME to assist you in YOUR NEEDS for the coming Spring.

CLOAKS Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks at a big sacrifice to close the lot.

Ladies' Cloth Coats, values \$15 to \$20, Ladies' Corduroy Coats, valued \$16 to \$25 , , , , \$8.75 Ladies' Cordoroy Coats, value \$10 to \$14 , , , , \$4.98 Ladies' Seal Plush Coats, values, \$20 to \$28 , , , , \$12.50

Ladies' Plush Coats, values \$15 to \$19 , , , , \$8.25 Children's Velvet and Plush Coats, values \$9 to \$14, at , ,

Children's Fancy Cloth Coats, values \$5 \$3.75 One 'Lot Ladies' and Misses' Coats at a 99c

FURS

Ladies' Black Martin Muffs, value \$7, \$3.75 Ladies' Mellon-shape Muffs, \$8.50 value Special Bargain Table-Ladies' Wool

Vests and Pants, Tights, Etc., \$1.00 values at

\$1.35 value , , , 89c Ladies' "Merode" Silk and Wool Union Suits, 2.25 to 2.75 value, at , \$1.89 Ladies' Vests, 25c value at , 19c Best Table Oil Cloth, per yd , , 17c Full size Cotton Blankets, per pair , 69c 66x80 Blankets, 1.35 value, per pair , 98c 72x90 Sheets, good muslin, each , 39c 81x90 Sheets, seamless, very special lot, very high quality, full size, 1.25 value—3 doz en to sell at , , , 79c each Pure Linen Sheeting, 90-inch 1.50 value at , , , 98c yd Pepperell Bleached Pillow Tubing

Ladies' "Merode" Union Suits, best fitting

and finest in the market, any style, 1.00 to

42-inch , 15c; 45-inch , 17c Pillow Cases, special 22c value, 6 in a fancy box for , , , \$1.00 Embroidered Pillow Cases, 25c and 30c value at , , , , 25c

Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, 125c at , 8c yd

English Long Cloth, 12 1-2c value at 9c yd

Bleached Shaker Flannel, 12 1-2c val. at 9c

Ten pieces 18 inch Linen Crash, special 12 1-2c value, at , , 9c yd Entire stock Silkolines, 12c values, at 9c yd 20 pieces Assorted Toi! D'Nord and M. F. C. Dress Ginghams—hard to get at 12 1-2c ualue at , , , 8 1-2c Best Apron Gingham, 10c value at , 7c Big lot Ladies' and Children's Caps,

Sweaters and Sport Sets-at Less than cost.

Table Linens and Napkins

Right here is where you can SAVE MONEY.

We bought over a year ago about \$2,000 in these goods at old prices. We still have several pieces in reserve stock which we will put on sale at quite a little below present wholesale prices. Pure Linen--all prices from 59c up to \$1.50

BIG VALUES FOR YOU SURE

Dress Goods Sacrificed All Dress Goods in value from \$1.25 to

\$1.50 at

9c 10c, 12c and 15c values at 190 Best Machine Thread, 5 spools A 1.00 and \$1.25 value in Kid Gloves 89c A Warner's \$1.00 Corsets at 20% Less on all other styles. SHOES Exceptional values we offer this week through this Department. Ladies' Bargain Table Lot, values 2.50 to \$3.50 at , , \$1.48 Special lot, Ladies' Gun Metal and Kid, al sizes at , , , , \$1.98 Very Best \$3.50 and \$4.00 Shoes in all the new styles at , , Special prices on all Boys' and Girls'

A Crepe D' Chenes, Crepe Meteors, worth

98c

35c

21c

11c

\$1.25 to \$175 at , .

A Ladies' Hose 50c values at , ,

A \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Silks at

Best Mercerized Crochet Thread

A Children's 25c Hose

A Children's **15c** Hose

Shoes.

H. BROWN



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The significance that underlay the

In another moment they were out-

some black limousine which had

prought the adventurer from l'Abbaye.

showed him an empty street, destitute

of hint of danger.

Two swift glances, right and left,

"Ope moment, monsieur!" he said.

detaining the count with a touch on

one feared. If such things interest

you, I don't mind admitting I carry

"Enough to make me loath to linger

Lanyard laughed in his own discom-

"M. le Comte," said he, "there's a

confrere, Mysterious Smith, would call

sporting blood that commands my un-

your offered courtesy, and beg leave

De Morbihan replied with a grunt

of none too civil intonation, instructed

"This is delightful!" Lanyard pro-

"On your person," replied the count

"You carry your reason with you,

"You never went to the Rue du Bac,

"Enough, at least, to render me un-

willing to kiss it adieu by leaving you

to the mercies of Popinot. You don't

imagine I'd ever hear of it again when

his Apaches had finished with you?'

"Ah! So, after all, your self-styled

organization isn't founded on that re-

"Make what you will of your infer-

unruffled; "but don't forget my ad-

"That one? No fear! You were

anything but wise to bait him as you

"Perhaps. It's purely a matter of

"if I were the fool you think me,"

rejoined the count, "I'd resent that in-

least, I can wait before calling you

"And, meantime, profit by your pa-

"Naturally. Haven't I said as much?"

"Still I'm perplexed I can't imag-

"That will transpire. If you were

wise you'd hand the stuff over to me

here and now and accept what I

choose to give you in return. But

inasmuch as you're the least wise of

"The night brings counsel-you'll

have time to think things over. By

"With your famous friend, the chief

"Possibly. I am known also at La

"I confess I don't follow you, unless

"For the moment only. But I will

Your one hope resides in me; and I

Impressed in spite of himself, Lan-

men, you will have your lesson."

ence I have in certain quarters."

self in on the Omber loot."

"A vindictive soul, eh?"

"And you can't hold him?"

"One may say that."

to account "

"Meaning-

Tour Pointure,

"Never that."

"It's a riddle, then?"

monsieur, without those jewels, and I

"Assuming that you are right-"

to accept.'

send you there!'

tion, possibly?"

"Eh?"

at your side in a lighted doorway!"

should advise you. I'm armed."

viding one lived to explain!"

"It's as bad as that, eh?"

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—At Troyon's, a Paris inn, the youth Marcel Troyon, afterwards to be known as Michael Lanyard, is caught stealing by Burke, an expert thief, who takes the boy with him to America and makes of him a finished cracksman.

"You're most amiable, M. le Comte!" mission!"

"Something in that, perhaps. Still, attendant produced his hat and coat.

"Rut now if you're ready I won't do." overy doubt."

But now, if you're ready, I won't de-CHAPTER II-After stealing the Omber lay you longer." jewels and the Huysman war plans in London Lanyard returns to Troyon's for the first time in many years because he thinks Roddy, a Scotland Yard man, is side the clubhouse, its doors closed

CHAPTER III—At a dinner a conversa-tion between Comte de Morbihan, M. Ban-non and Mile. Bannon about the Lone Wolf, a celebrated cracksman who works alone, puzzles and alarms him as to whether his identity is only guessed or

CHAPTER IV-To satisfy himself that Roddy is not watching him, Lanyard dresses and goes out, leaving Roddy apparently asleep and snoring in the next room, then comes back stealthily, to find a giel in his room. a girl in his room.

CHAPTER V-The girl turns out to be Mile. Bannon, who explains her presence by saying that she was sleep-walking.

CHAPTER VII-Lanvard attempts to dispose of the Omber jewels, but finds that The Pack has forbidden the buyers to deal with him. He decides to meet The Pack.

CHAPTER VIII-De Morbihan meets him and takes him before three masked members of The Pack.

CHAPTER IX-He recognizes Popinot, apache, and Werthelmer, English mobs-man, but the third, an American, is on-known to him. He refuses alliance with

CHAPTER X.

Disaster.

Having fulfilled his purpose of mak- the chauffeur "To Troyon's," and foling himself acquainted with the indi- lowed Lanyard into the car. viduals composing the opposition, "Courtesy!" he repeated, settling with himself.

True, the fat was in the fire and (now and go warily in the shadow of to save my life and then you tell me their enmity. But it was something your inclinations consign me to a prewasn't seriously impressed by any one of them

Popinot, perhaps, was the most dangerous, a vindictive animal, and the creatures he controlled a murderous lot-drug-ridden, drink-bedeviled, my friend-in the shape of the Omber vicious little rats of Belleville, who'd knife a man for the price of an absinthe. But Popinot wouldn't move without leave from De Morbihan, and riously miscast, De Morbihan would since. restrain both himself and his associates until thoroughly convinced Lan- yard pursued evenly, "do you fancy yard was impregnable against every you've got in the said loot?" form of suasion.

Murder was something a bit out of De Morbihan's line-something which, at least, he could be counted on to hold in reserve. And by the time he was ready to employ it, Lanyard would be well beyond his reach. Wertheimer, too, would deprecate violence until all else had failed; his half-caste ciprocal trust so essential to the suctype was cowardly, and cowards kill cess of such-enterprises!" only impulsively, before they've had time to weigh the consequences. There | ences, my friend," the count returned. remained "Smith"-enigma; a man apparently gifted with both intelligence | vice: pull wide of Popinot!" and character. But if so, what the deace was he doing in such company?

Lanyard's place at the table of chemin de fer had been filled by another, and, too impatient to await a vacancy, he wandered on to the salon dedicated | did. to roulette, tested his luck by staking taste in associates. a note of 500 francs on the black, wen, and incontinently subsided into a chair and oblivion for the space of three-quarters of an hour.

At the end of that period he found himself minus his heavy winnings at chemin de fer and the ten thousand francs of his reserve fund as well.

By way of a lining to his pockets there remained precisely the sum ine how you reckon to declare yourwhich he had brought into Paris that same evening, less subsequent general expenses.

The experience was no novelty in his history. He rose, less resentful than regretful that his ill luck obliged him to quit just when play was grow-

ing most interesting, and resignedly sought the cloakroom. And there he found De Morbihanagain!-standing all garmented for tomorrow you'll be coming to find me the street, mouthing a huge cigar and and give me those jewels, without res-

wearing a look of impatient discon- ervation, in exchange for what influ-"At last!" he cried in an aggrieved

tone as Lanyard appeared. "You do of the surete, eh?" take your time, my friend!" Lanyard smothered with a smile

whatever emotion was his. "I don't suppose you really meant to wait for me," he parried, with

you mean to lay an information against me." double meaning, both to humor De Morbihan and hoodwink the attendant. "What do you think?" retorted the say this: it will be futile, your attempting to escape Paris; Popinot

count with asperity-"that I'm willing to stand by and let you moon around Paris at this hour of the morning, has already picketed every outlet. hunting for a taxicab that isn't there and running God knows what risk of shall be at home to you until midnight hold and climb on top of his body. being stuck up by some misbegotten tomorrow—today, rather.' Apache? But I should say not! I mean to take you home in my car, though it cost me a half-hour of beauty an imperturbable manner, looking eleep not lightly to be forfeited at straight ahead. Such calm assurance

could hardly be sheer bluff. "I must think this over," Lanyard

"Pray don't let me hinder you," the ount begged with mild irony. "I have

my futile thoughts as well." Lanyard laughed quietly and subsided into a reverie which, undisturbed by De Morbihan, endured throughout the brief remainder of their drive; for, thanks to the smallness of the hour, the streets were practically deserted and offered no aindrance to speed, while the chauf-

feur was doubtless eager for his bed. As they drew near Troyon's, however. Lanyard sat up and jealously reconnoitered both sides of the way.

ust shows how little you appreciate our good Popinot. He'll never offer any objection to your locking yourself semihumorous petulance of the little up where he knows he can find you-

There was, indeed, no sign of ambush that he could detect in any quarter-no indication that Popinot's Apaon his trail. On arrival he finds Roddy al-ready installed as a guest. behind them, while before them, wait-ing at the curb was that some behind them behind them. ing at the curb, was that same hand- less, Lanyard produced his automatic over. and freed the safety catch before opening the door.

"A thousand thanks, my dear count!"

"For what? Doing myself a service? You make me ashamed!"

"I know," agreed Lanyard, depreciahis sleeve. "It's only right that I tory; "but that's the way I am-a little devil-you really can't trust me! "Then you're less foolhardy than Adieu, M. le Comte."

"Au revoir, monsieur!"

Lanvard watched the car round the CHAPTER VI in his apartment near the Trocadero he finds written on the back of a twenty-pound note, part of his concealed emergency hoard, an invitation from The Pack to the Lone Wolf to join them. a life-preserver of my own. But what corner before turning to the entrance quite deserted and as soundless as though it had been the thoroughfare of some remote village rather than an artery of the puising old heart of Paris.

Yet he wasn't satisfied. He even shivered a bit, perhaps because of the chill in that air of early morning. dash in you of what your American possibly because a shadow of premonition had fallen athwart his soul.

Whatever its cause, he could find no stinted admiration. I thank you for excuse for the sensation, and shaking breath, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilhimself impatiently, pressed the but- ious, nervous and upset, bothered ton that rang a bell by the ear of the concierge, heard the latch click, thrust the door wide, and re-entered Troy-

Here reigned a silence even more marked than that of the street, a si-Lanyard shut the door in their faces, himself with a shake. "That makes lence as heavy and profound as the thrust his hands in his pockets, and nothing. If I regarded my own incli- grave's, so that sheer instinct promptsauntered downstairs, chuckling, his nations, I'd let you go to the devil as ed Lanyard to tread lightly as he nose in the air, on the best of terms quick as Popinot's assassins could made his way down the passage and across the courtyard toward the stairway; and in that hush the creak of a to have faced down those four, if he mature grave. Is there any explana- belated guest, seemed little less than downright profanity.

Lanyard paused and delved into his guardian's nightcap.

himself in the sum of five francs in never gripe or sicken. witness to the sincerity of his regrets. "I thank monsieur; but what need unless Lanyard's calculations were se- have had you under observation ever to consider me? It's my duty. And what is one interruption more or less? "What conceivable interest," Lan-All night they come and go."

"Good night, monsieur." Lanyard cut short the old man's garrulity, and went on up the stairs, now a little wearily, of a sudden newly conscious of his enervating fatigue.

involuntarily, and, reaching his door. fumbled the key in a most unprofessional way; there were weights upon his eyelids, a heaviness in his brain. But the key met with no resistance from the wards, and in a trice, appre- lished before it went further. ciating this fact, Lanyard was wide awake again.

No question but that he had locked in West Brooklyn. the room securely on leaving after his adventure with the charming somnam-

Or was this only proof of what he had anticipated in the beginning-a the correctness of this latter surmise as he threw the door open and stepped into the room, his first action no light answered.

"Hello!" he exclaimed softly, remembering that the light could readlly have been turned off at the bulbs. 'What's the good of that?"

In the same breath he started vio-The door had closed behind him, lently and swung about.

swiftly but gently, eclipsing the faint light from the hall, leaving stark dark-

His first impression was that the intruder-Roddy, or whoever it might be-had darked past him and out, pulling the door to in the act.

Before he could consciously revise this misconception he was fighting for

So unexpected, so swift and sudden fell the assault that he was caught completely off guard-between the shutting of the door and an onslaught whose violence sent him reeling to the wall, the flight of time could have been measured by the flickering of an

Two powerful arms were round his body, pinioning his hands to his sides, I his feet were tripped from under him. and he was thrown with a force that fairly jarred his teeth.

For a breath he lay dazed, struggling feebly; not long, but long enough to enable his antagonist to shift his where he squatted, bearing down heavily with a knee on either of Lanyard's forearms, two hands encircling his neck, murderous thumbs digging into his windpipe.

He revived momentarily, pulled him-

self together, and neaved mightily in a futile effort to unseat the other. The sole result of this was tighten-

ing pressure on his throat. The pain grew agonizing; Lanyard's breath was almost completely shut off; he gasped vainly; his eyeballs started; a myriad lights danced blindingly before them; in his ears there entertainment. rang a roaring like the beat of heavy surf upon a rockbound coast.

Then of a sudden he ceased to struggle and lay slack and passive in the other's hands.

Only an instant longer was the cheek to the floor. Simultaneously he about his neck, and then of a touch of metal and the sting of a needle driven into the flesh beneath his ear.

life again in a twinkling, animate with threefold strength and cunning. The man on his chest was thrown off as by a young earthquake, and Lanyard's right arm was no sooner free than it shot out with blind but deadly accuracy to the point of his assailant's jaw. A click of teeth was followed by a sickish grunt as the man lurched

And then Lanyard was scrambling to his feet, a bit giddy, perhaps, but still sufficiently master of his wits to whip his pistol out before making one further move.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning - a 10-cent box pockets, nodding genially to the form any drug store will keep your blowzy, sleepy old face beneath the stomach sweet, liver and bowels reg ular, and head clear for months. said politely, further impoverishing Cascarets because they taste good-

SUBLETTE

Sublette, Jan. 1-The J. W. Bet endorf home narrowly escaped destruction by fire last Wednesday when a roof fire started, it is thought, from a spark in the chimney. Mrs. Kuehna, a neighbor, dis-He thought longingly of bed, yawned covered the blaze and all the citizens n response to her call, turned out to aid the fire department. By that ime the fire had spread pretty generally over the roof but was exting-

Mrs. Paul Halbmier, a former Sub lette girl, is seriously ill at her home

Arthur Bettendorf who attends he North Dixon high school, spent Had she, then, contracted the habit? the holiday vacation at his home. Miss May Clarke visited friends in

Dixon the past week, returning bit of sleuthing on the part of Roddy? home Friday accompanied by Miss He entertained little doubt as to Gertrude Reid who visited here for

Mrs. Irving Crawford of Mendota nuendo. As it happens, I'm not. At being to grasp the electric switch. But is a guest for the day of Mrs. George Crawford.

The Ladies' Friendly club held a pleasant meeting Thursday with Mrs

Brush this through faded, lifeless locks and they become dark, glossy, youthful.

when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifesands of women and men who value that daughter Gladys were entertained at nair which is so attractive, use only this

was observed here by having a tree tident. for the children with a short program at Illini hall. A goodly number were present. Much credit is due Mrs. Alfred Parks for the excellent Baker and two children spent last

Skating has been a favorite sport of holiday week.

A. E. Sheffield attended the shoot at Rochelle last week.

The Grand Detour bridge is at clutch on his throat maintained. Both present in very bad shape, as part of hands left it quickly, one shifting to it has been torn away and work on his head to turn and press it roughly, repairs has been delayed on account dinner at the Millard Funk home at of lack of material.

Miss Florence Lee spent last week it Chana with her parents.

Mrs. S. Shook has gone to Beloit, That galvanized him; he came to to visit her brother Lou, and son, have been ill, are much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce of St. Charles isited at the W. I. Palmer home Thursday.

Arthur Shefefild and wife spent a in Chicago. ew days last week with her parents. Mrs. Caroline Remmers is staying Dixon Wednesday. with her son George and family for a few days.

Miss Bess Lee of Chana is staying | Woosung with Mrs. Wlil Palmer for some time Mrs. Ella Reese drove to Pine Creek Friday afternoon to spend a few days with Mrs. Rebecca Reese and family.

Emory Cherry came home Friday from a two weeks' visit in Chicago and Milwaukee.

T. F. Roshrook and wife visited at the the Dr. Pankhurst home Fri-

Miss Gertrude Kanzler of Rockord spent Thursday night and Frilay with Miss Elsie Remmers.

Mrs. Will Winebrenner entertain ed relatives from Morrison New Year's day.

Mrs. C. A. Sheffield arrived home Friday from a two months' trip

hrough the west. Miss Eva Redfern of Dixon spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister t the Sheffield house.

Mr. and Mrs. Senn from near Mt. Morris spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morse.

David McCarty and wife drove to Polo Sunday to spend the day with her sister, Mrs. Walter Mon.

Jack Heckman and wife spent Sun day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Strouse.

WHEN YOU WAKE UP DRINK GLASS OF HOT WATER

Wash the poisons and toxins from system before putting more food into stomach.

Says Inside-bathing makes anyone look and feel clean; sweet and refreshed.

Wash yourself on the inside before eakfast like you do on the outside skin pores do not absorb impuri into the blood, causing illness

into the stomach, nearly an ince of waste material unce of waste material must be arried out of the body. If this waste naterial is not eliminated day by da quickly ferments and generates s, gases and toxins which are or sucked into the blood ream, through the lymph ducts which suck only neurishment to sus-

A splendid health measure is to frink, before breakfast each day, a real hot water with a tea poonful of limestone phosphate in it. which is a harmless way to wash nese poisons; gases and toxins from e stomach, liver, kidneys and owels; thus cleansing, sweetening nd freshening the entire alimentary anal before putting more food into

A quarter pound c. limestone phosate costs but very little at the drug ore but is sufficient to make anyone n enthusiast on inside-bathing. Men and women who are accustomed to wake up with a dull, aching head or ave furred tongue, bad taste, nasty eath, sallow complexion, others who ave bilious attacks, acid stomach or onstipation are assured of pro ounced improvement in both health nd appearance shortly.

NACHUSA

Nachusa, Dec. 30-Mr. and Mrs John Plantz and daughter are visit ing relatives in Chicago.

Mark Herbst of Carthage College is spending his vacation with his par Hair that loses its color and lustre, or ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Herbst. Miss Mary Spangler entertained

her Sunday school class Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George Emmert and

the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dysart Mrs. Fannie Bossemeyer is reco

Miss Grace Sarwine of Dixon was the guest of Mrs. George Weidman

the guest of Miss Ruth Shippert. Mrs. Ellen Lease is ill.

Miss Lucile Herbst is recovering from her recent illness. Dr. F. D. Altman of Dixon was guest of Rev. and Mrs. Herbst Wed

Mrs. George Weidman is recover Grand Detour, Jan. 3-Christmas ing from the effects of her recent ac

PINE CREEK

Pine Creek, Jan. 3-Mrs. Isaac week at Rockford.

Jacob Wolf of Rochelle is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Seyster.

Roy Nettz was a caller in Polo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bovey and son of Chicago were entertained at

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Long spent Tuesday at Polo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, who V. H. Bovey, Samuel Nettz, Weed

Jones and Clayton Boyev were Oregon callers Tuesday on business. Jerry Stuff spent part of last week

Miss Maud Bovey was a caller in

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair were entertained at a Christmas dinner at

Mr. and Mrs. P. Wragg of Pine Creek entertained a number of their friends Wednesday evening.

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vacations.

parents.

Geraldine Farrar in Carmen.

The M. H. club met Wednesday af

ternoon at the home of Miss Maud

Kersten. The club entertained the

college girls who were home on their

Arthur Brown of Chicago spent

New Years at the home of his par-

ents, Dr. and Mrs. Brown.

Rochelle Friday afternoon.

each evening during the holidays.

The M. H. club gave a New Year's

met at the home of the Misses Quick

train today from his home in Eric

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Moore and son

Kenneth are in Pennsylvania visiting

Mr. Moore's parents. They lef

Christmas morning f or the east.

word Friday evening of the death of

Mrs. Gould's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth

Smith at the home of her daughter

was unable to attend the funeral on

HARMON

Harmon, Dec. 30-Thursday Mau-

Many people in Harmon and vicin

Henry Schulte who has just re

mon Saturady. He says wheat erop

Mrs. Manning who underwent an

operation at the Sterling hospital

Owen Compton of Sterling spent

Christmas in Harmon with rela-

Miss Ada Dewey is laid up with

A. L. Hicks of Hamilton was a

Lawrence Garland of Marion was

took in 3,000 bushels of corn. The

average daily amount taken in has

Ernest Velvin of East Grove was

Clayton Kugler of Nelson town

the past year will return to anothe

Monday to Dubuque to resume h

Robinson, Ill., to spend the winter

W. E. Hopkins will move from

the place he has been the past few

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with her daughter, Mrs. Carlyle.

years onto another form

Court, Minneapolis.

cost of clearing stumps.

school work.

fare.

averaged close to this amount.

caller in Harmon Tuesday.

sale Tuesday

the past few days.

There will be many

aller in Harmon Monday.

caller in Harmon Monday.

some time ago is slowly improving.

ity are afflicted with the grip.

were shopping in Harmon.

to her home in Evanston.

William Keifer is laid

was very good.

Gould a few days last week.

and eighth grades.

account of the grip.

last Wednesday.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Northwest Misseuri corn, spring election, April 4, 1916. clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil map free. Basel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Me. 9717

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FOR SALE, 10 acre fruit and chicken farm 1 mile from Dixon. Address Jacob Barnhart, Dixon, Ill., R. 4.

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this state as smooth as a floor and cut on the north by good river (full sow sale, Bensen, Ill. Geo. Fruin, of fish), and cut on the south by big Auct. ditch, just completed, and this ditch Feb. 2-Ed. Hallaran, Duroc brood is about eight feet deep and shows sow sale, Campus, Ill. Geo. Fruin, the best of good yellow clay clear to Auct. the bottom. The top soil is the best Feb. 8-S. H. Patterson at St. black sandy loam to be found in Min- James, 4 miles east of Dixon, closing nesota. The water is pure, and never- out sale. F. D. Kelly, Auct. falling well on the place, which is oc- Feb. 10-W. A. Naylor, closing ou capied by tenant. Though this farm is sale, 2 1/2 miles south of Nachusa, Ill.

as smooth as the best of the Red River Valley it shoul dnot be confused sale, six miles east of Dixon. George with same, as this is near the highest Fruin, auctioneer. point of land in the state.

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ket in the Northwest. Wadsworth Co., Langdon, North Da- Feb. 23-Percy Fruin, Duroc brood kota, and 525-7 Temple Court, Min sow sale, Oregon, Ill. Geo. Fruin. 262tf Auet.

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FOR RENT. Up stairs of my residence at 621 S. Galena Ave. to man and wife, Mrs. Mary C. Moyer.

FOUND

FOUND: Gentlemans watch. Owner ty and paying for this ad. Phone H-5

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This is to announce my candidacy on the Republican ticket for tax collis not a flivyer, can Fleet Carr of NOAH W. BEAL.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Dixon township at the election GRACE G. STEEL 307tf

Jan. 6Public sale, W. E. Hopkins 1/2 miles south and 1 mile east of Harmon, 9 miles northeast of Walnut, 10 miles northwest of Ohio Sta tion. C. C. Plumly and Frank Hewitt,

Monday, Jan. 17 - Large closing out sale, W. M. Healy, 51/2 miles south of Dixon on Peoria road. Fahrney & Powers, Aucts. Jan. 17-Peter Streit, Duroc sow

Jan. 19-Sam Eak'e & Son, pure H. Squires, 519 E. 2nd St. 117tf bred Duroc sale, Prophetstown, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 20-Joseph Enichen, closing in Minnesota and N. D. will be sold ot sale, 21/2 miles east of Dixon

> 88tf Wednesday, Jan. 26-Wm. Leivan, 4 miles west of Dixon on interurban car line; closing out. D. M. Fahrney,

> > Feb. 1-H. G. Vogel, Duree brood

Feb. 14-Charles Sheffler, Public If marriage doesn't make a man

Tuhsray, Feb. 17-Charles Bar-

at the bargain price of \$25 per acre. east of Eldena, on Pat Duffy farm. L

Sterling road. Fruin, auctioneer.

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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The bill collector is a geek
Who never has been scared;
You'll find him round most every week

Unless you keep him squared. Huh! "You never hear of a pedestrian be-

"Well, what about it?" said the wise ents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt.

"Nothing," answered the boob. "Only you have to admit that the aeroplane runs over more people than the auto-

Correct. "Dame fortune in strange ways proceeds To favor man," said Mr. Kaz. One has more money than he needs, One needs more money than he has.

The Family. "I see that the Smiths have been divorced." remarked Brown. "That so?" asked Jones. "Did they

have any family?" "Yes," replied Brown. "She gets the custody of the poodle, and he gets the custody of the motorcar."

Sad.

He ate a raw onlen. And now he's alone; His friends and companions Have hastened and gone.

The Dec Must Be Peeved. \$50 REWARD.

Between Sept. 30 and Oct. 2 a party entered my buggy shed and stole a set little. The above reward I will pay for the capture of the said party, deto resume his duties in the seventh livered to me at some lonely place near Salt River railroad bridge.

DR. W. H. HENDRIX. P. S.-Please bring a rope. - New London Record.

Hughes. If now you will kindly excughes for telling you all this sad nughes, We'll just say goodby, And let others try

Fo write something more about Hughes —Fryzen Stughes.

Paw Knows Everything. Willie-Paw, is echo masculine or feminine?

Paw-Feminine, my son. Echo allis looking after his business. ways has the last word. Maw-Willie, you go upstairs and do

Happy Eden. Olden Eden's garden was a place

No phonographs squealed all night long-They hadn't been invented. -Cincinnati Enquirer.

Old Eden's garden was a place Where man could rest contented; No flivvers dashed round all day long— They hadn't been invented.
—Bettie H. McDonald.

Roll Him In. Dear Luke-If we guarantee that he

lector, City of Dixon, Ill., at the Bellefontaine, O., get into the club lumbago. garage?-P. W. Carter.

A woman was kicked on the chin by a mule, causing her to bite off the end of her tongue, and her husband several times since refused an offer of \$1,000 for the mule.—Rushville (Ky.) News-Democrat.

Another Short One. Chapter I.—Ride Chapter II.-Slide Chapter III.-Died.-A. R. Mohn.

Names Is Names.

C. A. Coldicott lives at Portsmouth, O.

Our Daily Special. An egotist is an I specialist.

Luke McLuke Says: The high cost of living didn't worry people much in the old days when the thimble was regarded as part of a woman's jewelry.

It must worry a reformer to have to et other people out of his sight over-

Give an old fashloned housekeeper er choice between an earthquake and rainy washday, and she will take the land renters in this vicinity next the earthquake any old time.

If there is one man that the devil hates more than another it is the fellow who minds his own business and tries to earn an honest living for his family.

Give a woman all the feathers she wants in this world, and she will take a chance on getting wings in the next | John Sutton who ha sbeen on it

n all of her time trying to retain her usband's affection. But nowadays she ousy trying to retain her affection. or fellow is telling all he knows and

you can get up and go away with the onsolation that he can't tell all you first of March,

nd give your street car seat to a gh! during the holiday vacation returns There is fair house and also other ton on Asa Judd farm south of city ways manages to squeeze around and strap hanging act?

What has become of the old fashion. ed mannerly boy who took off his cup when he spoke to a man?

BY MAIL

The Evening Telegraph is \$3 a year; the Semi-Weekly Telegraph is \$1.50 a year.

HELP THE OLD FOLKS Ashton, Jan. 3-Miss Alice Eddy

spene several days in Unicago last week attending grand opera. Misses A HELPING HAND EXTENDED TO Nellie and Ruth Zeller accompanied MANY OLD PEOPLE IN her to the city Wednesday and saw DIXON

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Most old peopre have a bad back. The kidneys are often weak. Or worn out with years of work. Backache means days of misery, Urinary troubles, night of unrest. Doan's Kidney Pills have helped to make life easier for many. They are doing so for old and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Chadwick young.

The infirmities of age are many.

ing killed by an aeroplane," mused the and son Billy of Steward were week Dixon people are learning this. end guests at the home of her par-Read the following local endorse Billy spent the week with his grand

Mrs. E. Bott, S11 College Ave., Dixon, says: "My advanced age Rev MacWherter returned to Ash- probably has much to do with my ton Saturday night after spending kidneys becoming disorderd. I had the week with his family in Decatur. kidney trouble a long time before I Miss Lucile Randall, Ellen and knew it. The chief symptom was Marjorie Griffith visited friends in backache and severe pains across my kidneys. It was often very hard for Miss Gertrude Richardson was a guest of Miss Ethel Sterling of Dixon Everyone enjoyed the community some at Leake Bros. Co.'s Drug store. Christmas tree which was lighted One box rid me of the backache and toned up my system." (Statement given April 15th, 1909.) eve party Friday evening, each mem

OVER FIVE YEARS LATER, Mrs. ber inviting a friend, and a happy Bott said: "Whenever I have any time resulted. The club and guests trouble from my back or kidneys, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and get and a progressive supper was served prompt relief." Price 50e at all dealers,. Don't

at the homes of Misses Helen Urmy Roberta Brown and Mildred Griffith. simply ask for a kidney remedy -get Jack Rosenfeld of Chicago visited Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that Mrs. Bott had, Foster-Milburn Co. at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Arnd returned on the earl;

MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain: Dats 36 37 Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Gould received Corn 10 70 Local Product quotations. Creamery butter 40 Mrs. Rosenfeld, Chicago. Mrs. Gould Dairy butter 33 Lard 10

Eggs 32 Charles Lake is ill. Mr. Henning Potatoes 70 Spring chickens 16 Ducks 22 Geese 22 Turkeys 25 rice Larson and wife of Hamtilton Light hens 8

Heavy hens 9 Mrs. Roberts, who was here a few days with her husband, has returned Indian Runners 8 White ducks 10 123 Southern Exp. turned from N. Dakota was in Har-

Geese 9 121 Clinton Exp.* FURNISHED BY LOGAN & BRYAN, 132 Waterloo Exp. CHICAGO - CHAS. ANDERSON, 124 Local Mail DIXON MANAGER.

Chicago, Jan. 5, 1916,

July 118 % 120 ½ 118 % 119 % leaving Dixon. Daily except where May 76 1/2 777% 76 % 76 34 the grip and unable to be at the July 78 3/8 771/8 May 48 1/8 48 3/4 48 48 July 46 1/2 481/8 46 1/2 Pork-Jan 1675 1900 1875 Tuesday the Farmer's Elevator May 1897 990 1000 990 1000 1035 1015 May Etitis-Jan 1017 1075 1017 1027 D. D. Considine purchased a span May 1055 1075 1052

of fine black horses at the Geldean Receipts today-Hogs 60,000. Cattle 16,000. ship sold his corn to the Farmers El Sheep 17,000 evator and has been delivering it Hogs left over 5400. Hogs open 5c lower than yesterday's average.

Mixed 63 a 695. Heavy 655a695. will move to the west while others Rough 630a650, will change farms. Henry Geldean Light 630a670. will move onto the Hettinger farm Cattle steady. William Geldean has sold out and Sheep weak. will retire. Lynn Parker will return Hogs close slow at early prices. to his own farm in the spring and Estimated tomorrow 50,000.

John Considing who has been or White House All Hustle Over Entry Mail should be in the office ten minthe D. D. Considine farm will nicy

move to Mrs. Tosney's farm the automobile and walked with her oorman and profound bows as Mrs. No. 4 3:55 p. m. Throughout the mansion activity to creased. From one end of the bic louse to the other the word passed

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120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m. Freeport Freight. 12:30 p. m CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

May 126 % 129 126 127 % Correct time of all passenger trains otherwise specified: East Bound to Chicago.

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99 7:10 a, m. Sun only 10:23 a, m. 13 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m. 19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m 27 4:20p. m. dly ex Sun. 7:26 p. m. 11 6:05 p. m. 25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m. 17 9:35 p. m. 11:53 p. m *7 10:00 p. m. 12:28 a. m. 3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

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utes preceding the locking of the

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pouch to insure its dispatch: East Mail. Time No. 6 3:00 a. m. the executive mansion. There No. 28 6:55 a. m. West Mail.

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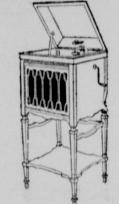
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> The call was issued following adjournment of a cabinet meeting, at which the ministers agreed on the form of conscription and following the publication of figures showing the Derby campaign to have been a failure. Groups six to nine under the Derby scheme were called to the colors. With the groups already called the British armies will be re-enforced by several hundred thousand men.

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Derby Plan a Failure.

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pasture and hay land, worth \$50.00 was made. At the same time it was 200-arce bargain in this part of the completed the draft of the compulsory service bill to be presented to parlia-

The official statement confirmed previous reports that the Lord Derby some form of conscription. It called attention to the fact that 651,160 men drafting only single men of military age not urgently needed in other o

Over 2,000,000 Are Attested.

and forty thousand single men and 1,344,979 married men were attested likely to have when shipped in wood boxes.

Of the single men 207,000 were rejected, while 221,853 married men

Sir John Simon Quits.

Following a long cabinet session on conscription Premier Asquith made public in the house of commons the resignation of Sir John Simon, from the portfolio of secretary of state for home affairs. The resignation was because of the liberal minister's opposition to the compulsion bill, which it is expected will be introduced in the house today.

GRIP IS WORST IN HISTORY

Head of U. S. Health Bureau Reports Disease Is Spreading.

Washington, Jan. 5 .- The most serious epidemic of influenza ever known to exist in this country was disclosed in reports before Surgeon-General Blue, of the public health service. The is spreading at an alarming rate and is causing many deaths. Of the larger cities, influenza is widely prevalent in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, San Francisco, Seattle, Cleveland and Detroit the two latter cities having probably 100,000 cases. The federal authorities explain that

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Pope Congratulates Falconio. Rome, Jan. 5.- The Pope has writ ten an autograph letter congratulating Cardinal Falconio, the apostolic dele is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary

of his ordination to the priesthood in

Crew Would Abandon Ship.

Buffalo, N. Y.

New York, Jan. 5 .- The crew of the Greek Line steamship Thessaloniki wish to abandon the ship, which has been at the merc of gales and high seas for ten days, according to a radio message received here.

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eral Who Died Monday.

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